FAMILIE

My children always meet me with

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meet me with a glowing account of

FIRST GLEAM OF SUNSHIN

Customs Official Was Much Mistaken

in Imagining That Son-in-Law
Felt Bad.

A San Francisco mother in law went

"We are considering it," the cus-

"And if my mother-in-law were to be

onvicted, as she probably would be,

"Do-you-mean-to-tell-me-you-intend-

to do this thing to a woman—a lady who has already explated her fault

my dear sir, this is the first gleam of supshine that has entered my home in

Snakes in Austria. Snakes are common enough in many

Oriental countries; few persons are

perhaps aware that they are very nu-merous in Austria, and that the gov-

ernment offers a reward for every

uable is borne out by the fact that out of the 140 cases of snake bites re-

ported in 1908 only six proved fatal.

Useful and Happy.

Fry to be useful just where you are. Many of us are fond of imagin-

ing how much we should do if our circumstances were other than they are.

But that is waste of time. The thing

to do is to do as much as you can for

others here and now, and so make the

most of your opportunities.

Don't be so busy preparing for some

vague future time when you will be

happy that you have no time to be

happy to-day. The future will soon be the present, and the chances are

that, when it does come, we shall still

be so busy planning that we shall

Languages of the World. Statisticians who have delved into

the subject of languages tell us that

there are approximately 2,750 now in

use throughout the world. To give absolutely the number of tongues would

be manifestly impossible, for the rea-

parts of the world where tribes are

known to exist.
Until ethnological surveys are made

of every nook and cranny of this old world it will be impossible to classify

all of the languages employed.

20 years."-Saturday Evening Post.

and recompensed the government?"

truthfulness.

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think so."

she would have to go to jail?"

E Analanche

Crawford County Directory

Clerk Sen College
Register 76 Rolls W Brink
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Fressurer W Battersen
Surveyor E. P Richardson
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COUNTY OFFICERS

GRAYLING, MICHIGAN, FEB. 17, 1910. NUMBER 9 NOTICE. NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE. Dr. F. E. Bush Every Month 16th to 20th Inclusive. GLASS BOTTLES LONG KNOWN A CLEVER MOTHER'S METHOD Seems to Have Found deal Way of Correcting Mistakes and Retain-ing Child's Confidence.

Her Capable Management

"Mrs. Jones and I had just a lovely time to-day," said Mrs. Deeson, coming in with a happy smile and rosy cheeks. "I know I'm a little late, dear, but you don't mind, do you?"

Deeson assured his wife that waiting an hour for his dinner was a mere bagatelle compared to her enjoyment Deeson had not been married long enough to see the seriousness of establishing a domestic precedent.

Found some extra bargains, eh?" said-her-husband, patting her on the

"You always take things for gran ed. How do you know we were shop-

"Deduction, my dear. First, you asked me for money this morning, which I cheerfully gave you with the cheerless remark that it was all I had, because I had loaned some to a friend

"Pana used to say that it took moral courage to refuse to loan money to a friend. You ought to have refused. can't see what men are always want lug to borrow money for."

-"Their wives, my dear. breakfast was on time-"

"Yes, Mrs. Jones and I wanted to get downtown ahead of the crowd. But we had to stand all the way. don't delieve all those women on the ear had finished washing their breakfast dishes. It's awful the way some women do."

Decson gave a wistful glance at the tinnerless dining room table. Then he said, since his wife seemed to expect him to go on talking: "To continue my deductions: thirdly, Jones told m ing advertisements and wanted to take หนึ่งล้มtage of the unparalleled bar gains. Fourthly, he wanted-

"Bargains! | should say so," interrupted his wife. "Your could almost get things for nothing. Mrs. Jones certainly knows how to shop. I don't see how she can afford to spend so much money. She always acts as if she had a lot. I wish she wouldn't insist upon paying the car fare—implying that Mr. Jones gets more sal __t_tust_told_be wasn't likely the employer of both of you would pay one man more than another—right in the same office. So we both held out the car fare and when the conductor came for it she to reach over me and made me drop ning on the floor and then every on had to move. The conductor was impatient and took her fare-

"How about the joy of shopping?" go to another place first and get some. Somebody stepped on my dress and back to the notion counter and buy government to about C8 12s a year some pins to hold me together. I dis covered then that I had forgotten tothe money you gave me this

it would look if it hadn't been too mall.—She-said I looked so_nice-that-I really ought to have it—and it was

'Well, what did you de?". "Of course she couldn't take it without first going to the store where I wanted to go. Jack, dear, the suits in that other store were ever so much seen the one for \$17.49 at the first store, we went back for it. Would you believe it? That suit was sold. A woman had it on and wouldn't take it off, though Mrs. Jones explained that it was really my dress. So we went back to the other store and I bought

the expensive -- Don't laugh. It always seems a lot more where the price

"You clever thing! How did you know it was twenty that I borrowed?" "Tloaned it to Jones last night."

Mrs. Appleton Sniffs.

fluff of chinon is as nothing to a man's heart compared with a bowl of onion soup,' was a decision handed down by the New Wifehood guild of New York and, when Mrs. Lycander John Appleton read of it she sniffed so hard she fell down in it. "I know the men," said Mrs. Appleton, "A man likes a good cook before dinner. but after he has eaten his onion soup and all that goes with it he doesn't want a hardworking woman to come around him, tired out, with her hair uncurled and her eyes still red from peeling_the_onions; he_wants_some-light, fluffy_creature, with_the_rouge and the chiffon, and who doesn't know an egg beater from a carpet aweeper. These women's clubs can't tell me anything: I know the men." she sniffed so hard she burst all her corset strings. And, when a woman strings, the sniff is the climax of con-

Those in the Days of the Pharach of the Exodus Were of Splendid Workmanship.

Although the oldest bottles known were made of skins, glass bottles containing wine are represented on Egyptian monuments which are more than 4,000 years old, while as early as the Pharaoh of the Exodus there were bottles made of bronze silver, gold, porcelain and alabaster, which from their "stunts" which I would not wish again superior workmanship and elegant depentoyed. I made a habit of forbidding go to prove that even at that period the art of bottle making was by able pastime. no means in its infancy. The early One day I overheard a child say: "I history of the bottle is somewhat measure shan't tell mother things any more. ger, owing, no doubt, to the fact that She says every time we mustn't do it the true bottle has never been a thing again, and if she did not know we of much beauty, except in a few-rare could keep right on." Nowhere is instances, but rather a humble vessel knowledge power more truly than beinstances, but rather a humble vessel no intrinsie value -

Bottles are rarely mentioned in fiction, but one must not forget the story takes and keep the children's confiof the Bottle Sprite in Grimm's, nor that of the broken bottleneck in the fairy tales of Hans Anderson, which latter is almost more fascinating to hide and go seek out and in the closet older people than to children, owing to where hang my "best clothes," I force the clever way in which the bottleneck a cheerful smile and a day or two later endows itself with a personality. The graceful old flagons, the demijohns and the queer-shaped bottles at one time used to contain a certain re nowned Dutch brew, all recall the by gone drinking days when it was con-sidered no disgrace to be a "two-bottle man," and when the custom of "joining the Indies the hadler" was more honored in ausquee.

The results were trying, but I did N E 1 of host and his male guests having more not find fault at the time. Later in N W 1 commonly joined each other—under the week I explained the cost of mate S E 1 of rials wasted if one cooked carelessly, N W 1 the breach than in the observance, the commonly joined each other—under the week I explained the cost of mate the mine; rials wasted it one cooked carelessly,

RESERVE HORSES FOR WAR

Switzerland's Simple Method of Pre-paring for Rapid Mobilization of its Army.

In Switzerland the state is part owner of horses used by reserves. It pur chases a remount at 3½ years old, and the soldier pays half the cost of the horse_to_the_government, with the difference between its cost and the price that the horse fetches at auction-for all horses are sold by nuction to the men.

After every year of training the govfriment refunds one tenth of the orig end of ten years the horse absolute property of the soldier. In this manner the soldier is not only al-ways well mounted but as he keeps his horse with him at his home his mobilization problem is of the simplest na-

The average price of these Swiss, troon horses is about £45 sterling. says Baily's Magazine, and as most of these horses are imported from Ire land and north Germany their price is wanted her to go with me to Martin's considerably higher than if would be to look at sults, but she said she must an this country. Thus the state se go to another place first and get some cures the services of a not services of a not services of an notation of about \$2\cdot 10s; but crowds! We had to elbow our way there are certain other expenses which must be included in this cettinate. Into the elevator, for we were deter, must be included in this estimate, mined not to wait for another car, such as the cost of the establishment for remount depots, etc., which raises tore it off the band, so we had to go the total cost of horses for the Swiss

Artistic Egotism.

Artists in the h morning. Now, don't look so anxious. Artists in the broad sense have the

-I'll show you what a financier I am. right to think well of their work—if When we got to the suit depart they can't, they should stop trying to the there was a perfect love of a be artists—and they exercise the right. gown—entirely too small for Mrs. as everybody knows, the fact being Jones. I put it on to show her how, only emphasized by the modest exceptions and the state of the small state of the st tions; but once in a while a painter or a singer can hand over a stunner, even now. And perhaps, not to be invidious, a sculptor or an architect should be included among the possi--bilities One of the stortes in circulation dealing with these diverting incidents recites the amazement of an among artists when, finding himself in Paris, he went to Bonnat to have his portrait painted. When the work was finished Bonnat (accepting his putron's check) remarked: "Sir, i congratulate you—a splendid work of art you have there! Sir, con-

Humor and Morality.

gratulate your country!"

We have extirpated gross humor is marked in even figures: Mrs. Jones from our modern literature; but we was going to get one for herself, but must not suppose that we are therefore explained that I had forgotten the more moved than the Elizabethans. population of the property of 'Never mind that twenty you bor only of gross humor, but of humor rowed of her. It will keep. Let's of all kinds. In its essence humor is have some dinner."

brave as it is honest. ice and dishonesty there come base substitutes for it, substitutes that make fun of noble things with a hunorous air and so bring humor itself into discredit.

> Stage Superstition. An umbrella opened on the stage is supposed to bring bad luck, and many actors would hesitate about wearing new shoes on the first night of a play. The evil effects of new shoes are said. however, to be averted by wearing player who makes this mistake in the hurry of dressing regards it as a good omen not to be disturbed. Whistling on the stage during rehearsals is be lieved to insure a frost on the night of production, and in operatic circles a yellow clarinet in the orchestra is held to bring the same dire result.

Had to Be Done That Way. Mrs. Homebody-Why did you send your husband's coat to the tailor when

learned how to sew on buttons.

Fairy Literature, "Father," said Little Rollo, "what is a prospectus?" "The Ruid I am mostly acquainted with my son, is the sort of fairy tale adapted to the tastes of adults instead of children." Mrs. Outley-Well, the fact is, my husband married so young he never

return from a day of shopping or vis-iting, says a mother, writing for the Boston Herald. They had usually had amusements, working in one or more tion as commencement of suit, and the further sum of five dollars for and each description, without other all ditional cost or charges. If payment as aforesail is not made, the undersigned will institute proceedings for possession of the land.

State of Michigan, County of Crawford.

Therefore, notice is kereby given that by victure of suite the payment of money secured by sale contained therein has become operative; now tween warents and children, so I set Now, when they come prancing to

NE of NW 1 NE of NW 1 1 28N, 2W \$3,20 incidentally remark that, for various reasons, I don't wish that closet door opened. The situation requires diplo-macy and it is not always easy to walt until a more convenient season for day or two ago I found such a child had attempted candy-making in my 1 28N 2W

and am certain it will not happen again. Justice, patience, kindness and absolute sincerity in a mother will. 12 28N- 2W-, 6.42- 1898

> Amount necessary to redeem, \$135,00 plus the fees of the sheriff.
> SYDNEY C. SAVAGE

CHARLES A. WORST EVERETT H. PERRY Place of business: Judge, Craw to the orient and, coming back, was ford County Michigap Daigh January 30 D 1940 To Ida Farman Grantee under the last_recorded_deed, in the regular caught trying to smuggle in a lot of

She had to pay duty and a fine. Then there was talk of a criminal acchain of stile, to said land.

I. Charles W. Anidon: Sheriff of Crawford County, Michigan, do here by return that, after careful-inquiry, Fam unable to ascertain the whereabouts or the postolice address of Ida. Her son-in-law called on the customs officials. "Is it possible," he asked in a severe tone, "that after my mother in law has paid the duty on the Farman the grantee named in th fast recorded deed of the lands de scribed in the armexed notice and of each parcel of said lands stuff and her fine that you contem-

CHARLES W. AMIDON Sheriff of Crawford County, Michigan

Probate Notice

STATE OF MICHIGAN I do; but look here; old chap, don't take this too hard. I've got to do my duty, you know. Don't feel so bad The Probate Court for the County of Crawford. "Bad?" shouted the son-in-law. "Why

Joseph J. Royce, administrator of said estate, having filed in said court adjudicate and determine who was a said court and said court adjudicate and determine who was a said court and said court and said court and said court adjudicate and determine who was a said court and said court adjudicate and determine who were at the time of his death the legal heirs of said deceased and entitled to enment offers a reward for every snake killed. In 1908 no less than 273,000 snakes were destroyed of this collection of the collection of

A true copy WELLINGTON BATTERSON.

NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN In the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford in Chancery Mary Lowica Wedge Complainant.

Vs.

Charles Wedge

Defendant.

Upon due proof by affidavit, that
Charles Wedge, defendant in the
entitled cause pending in this court,
resides in the State of Michigan, but
is concealed therein, so that process
Cannot be served on him, and on motion of O. Palmer, Soliciter for conplainant, it is ordered, that the said
defending to anyear and answer the defendant do appear and answer the bill of complaint, filed in the said Amount necessary to redeem scause, within five months from the plus the fees of the sheriff date of this order, else the said bill of Hubbard Head. date of this order, east the sand complaint shall be taken as confessed.

Dated of businass, Roscommon, at the dinner table when the young ladies started a discussion of the lished within twenty days from this date, in the CRAWFORD AVALANCHE, a newspaper printed in the said County of Crawford, and be published therein once meach week for six weeks in regular chain of title, to said land of succession; such publication, how succession; such publication, how eyen, shall not be necessary in case a copy of this order be served on the said defendant; personally, at least twenty days before the time herein prescribed for his appearance.

Dated this 25th day of January A.

D. 1910.

Dated June 19, A. D. 1909.

To Annie A. Jacobs, Chicago, III.

For Annie A. Jacobs, Chicago, III.

Office of the lat from ancient to modern times, the young ladies doing all the talking, while the young men, being out of their element, supplied an occasional mondayllable to the conversation, and all their element, supplied an occasional in the whereabouts or postofice address of Annie A. Jacobs or the learn of the careful inquiry, I. am unable to the conversation, and all their element, supplied an occasional increased the young men, being out of their element, supplied an occasional mondayllable to the conversation, and all their element, supplied an occasional increased the policy of their feinds, happening to see the party, says that the male members presented a heart-breaking office address of the executor, administrator or trustee or guardian of said.

Annie A. Jacobs.

Attest Register,

To the owner or owners of any and aft interest in the land herein described, and to the mortgagee or mortgages named in all undischarged recorded mortgages against said land or any assignee thereof of record:

Take Notice that sale has been lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes thereon, and that the undersigned have title thereto under tax deed issued therefor, and that the undersigned have title thereto under tax deed issued therefor, and that you are entitled to a reconvey ance thereof at any time within-six—County and State of Michigan, which said mortgage was recorded in the office and State of Michigan, which said mortgage was recorded in the office, upon payment to the undersigned of to the Register in chancery of the county in which the lands lie, of all sums paid upon such purchase, together with one hundred per cent. Sheriff for the septice or cost of pullication of this notice, to be computed as upon personal service of a declaration as commencement of suit, and the further sum of five dollars for each description, without other all whereas default has been made in the further sum of five dollars for each description, without other all whereas default has been made in the further sum of five dollars for each description, without other all whereas default has been made in the further sum of five dollars for each description, without other all whereas default has been made in the further sum of five dollars for each description, without other all whereas default has been made in the further sum of five dollars for each description, without other all whereas default has been made in the further sum of five dollars for each description, without other all whereas default has been made in the further sum of five dollars for each description, without other all whereas default has been made in the further sum of five dollars for each description, when the first has been made in the first has been made in the first has been made and sate of Michigan, made and execute the 12th day of Gr

ford. that by virtue of said power of sale.

Description. Sec. Town Runge Amt pd for year and in pursuance thereof and of the statute in such case made and provid-1 28N. 2W \$3.20 1893 c. the said mortgage will be fore closed by sale of the said mortgaged prendses, at public vendue, to the 1895 lighest bidder, at the front door of 1896 lighest bidder, at the front door of 1897 lighest bidder, at the front door of 1898 place of holding the Circuit Court within said-county, on Saturday, the 30th day of April, A. D. 1910, at ten o'clock in the foremon, and will be sold 128N 2W 1.75 1902 as aforesaid to satisfy the amount as aforesaid to satisfy the amount now due on said mortgage with the 72 1903 interest that may accrue thereon after this date and the cost of thre-1894 hundred and seven dollars and seven-1895 ty-five cents (\$107.75) with interest at

1896 Seven percent, from January 17th A.
1897 D. 1910, which sum is secured by said mortgage, and will become due January 1st A. D. 1911.

1898 The description of said premises 1899 contained in said mortgage is as fol-

lows to wit

The east one half of the east one
half of section thirty-two (32), township twenty-five (25) north of range
two (2) west, in the township or South
Branch, Crawford County, Michigan,
Dated January 24th, A. D. 1910
Hubbard Head.
Mortgarge, Mortgagee

Or Palmer,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Business address Grayling, Mich.
feb3-13t.

Probate Notice.

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford In the matter of the estate of John

Lerocque, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that four months from the 24th day of January A. D. 1940 have been allowed for ered to oresent their claims against the control of the control tors to present their claims said deceased to said court for said deceased to said court for exam-ination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are require creditors of said deceased are requir-at the probate office, in the village of Grayling, in said county, or of before the 24th day of May A, D. 1910, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Tuesday the 24th day of May A, D. 1910, at ten o'clock in the fore-At a session of said court, held at the probate office—in, the village of the 24th day of May N. D. 1910.
Grayling in said county, on the eighth day of February A. D. 1910.
Present: Hon. Wellington Batterson.
Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of John

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273,000 snakes were destroyed, of which all but 4,000 belonged to venomous species. To ald the rural inheritance of papinance whereby, in the case of a bite, the possibility of a fatal result is reduced to the minimum. This instrument comprises a small shife wherewith the wound, of a bite is mediately enlarged, and in the cut work where with the wound, of a bite is mediately enlarged, and in the cut work of expensions to said day of hearing, thus formed a concentrated solution of e-permanganate of possibility of a fratal estription, without solution and deceased died seized.

It is ordered, that the eighth day of a dil-interest in the land herein described and to the nortrage or ment as aforesaid is not mad all-interest in the land herein described. All-interest in the land herein described and to the nortrage or ment authors ics have supplied a simple of possibility of a fatal result its hereby appointed, for hearing and prestimptive is reduced to the minimum. This instrument comprises a small shafe of the wherewith the wound, of a bite is immediately enlarged, and in the cut the converted and convention are well and for unpand taxes thereon, and that the undersigned has title fliered that the undersigned has title fliered in the cut that the undersigned has title fliered in the cut that the undersigned has title fliered in the cut that the undersigned has title fliered in the cut that the undersigned has title fliered in the cut that the undersigned has title fliered in the cut that the undersigned has title fliered in the cut that the undersigned has title fliered in the cut that the undersigned has title fliered in the cut that the undersigned has title fliered in the cut that the undersigned has title fliered in the cut that the undersigned has title fliered in the cut that the undersigned has title fliered in the cut that the undersigned has title fliered in the cut that the undersigned has title fliered in the cut that the undersigned has title fliered in the cut that the undersigned has title fliered in

months after returni of service of this uotice, upon payment to the undersigned or to the register in chancery of the county in which the lands lie of all sums paid upon such purchase, together with one hundred per cent. additional thereto, and the fees of the sheriff for the service or cost of publication of this notice, to be computed of the publication of this notice, to be computed of the publication of this notice, to be computed of the publication of this notice, to be computed of the publication of this notice, to be computed of the publication of this notice, to be computed of the publication of this notice. as upon personal service of a declar ation as commencement of suit, and the further sum of five dollars for each description, without other addi-tional cost or charges. If payment as aforesaid is not made, the undersign-ed will institute proceedings, for possession of the land. State of Michigan, County of Craw-

Description, Sec, Town Range Amt pd for year

1903 1903 2.39 1904 2.78 1905 Amount necessary to redeem \$44.88 his the fees of the shares

tite of this order, else the said bill of Hubbard Head. pupilaint shall be taken as confessed. | Place of businass, Roscommon

Annie A. Jacobs. Charl

Charles W. Amidon. Sheriff of Crawford Co feb3-6t Fees \$1.10

DENTIST

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O. Palmer

ATTORNEY AT LAW

AND NOTARY Prosecuting Attorney for CrawfordCo

FIRE INSURANCE.

NOTICE. To the owner or owners of any and the land

fully made of the following described land-for-unpaid-taxes; thereon, and that the undersigned has title thereto that the undersigned has title thereto under tax deed sissued therefor, and that you are entitled to a reconvey-ance thereof at any time within six months after return of service of cery of the county in which, the lands lie, of all sums paid upon such pur-chase, together with one hundred per rentime additional thereto, and the fees of the Sheriff for the service or cost of publication of this notice, to be

computed as upon personal service of a declaration as commencement of er additional cost or charges. If pay

TOO MUCH POETRY WITH MENU. Wicked Trick Played by Merry Dam-sels on Their Kind Hosts.

At one of the hotels are two young

men, continually looking for a good time, says the Mexican Herald. the same hotel are two young ladies, school teachers, but who are not liv-ing up to the rules laid down for staid school teachers while they are on their vacation. The young men and 1902 the school teachers became acquaint. ed and the young men tendered an in-Vitation to dinner, which was duly accepted. As both young ladies are passably good looking the young men anticipated an agreeable evening. Hardly had the four seated themselves

ent bar and it took a good many drinks to revive them. Since then they have had many inquiries about spectra from sympathetic friends.

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All Operations Painless. All Work Guaranteed.

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COMMITTEES.
Finance, Claims and Accounts—Brink
Peterson and McCullough. Peterson and McCullough.

Streets, Sidewalks Bridges and Sewers—Peterson, Insley and Love.

Water Works, Lighting, and Fire Apparatus—Insley, Jerome, Brink.

Printing and License—McCullough,
Love and Jerome.

Health and Public Safety—Jerome.

Health and Public Safety-Jerome, McCullough and Insley, Ordinances-Peterson, Brink, Insley, Industrial-Love, Peterson, Insley,

Society Meetings.

Methodist Episcopal Church. Pastor Rev. James Ivev. Preaching, 10.3 m. and 7.00 p. m. Sabbath school: 145 a. n. phyorth League, 6.00 p. m. Prayer Meeting horsday, 7.00 p. m. All cordially invited in mediate.

Presbyterian Church.

Regular church services at 10,30 n. m. and 7: m. Sunday School immediately after mornin ervice, V.P.S.C. E. at 6,00 p. m. Prayer meetin Chursday evening at 7 on Humphrey Eleving, Pastor, Methodist Protestant Church.

Hee R. Charlingham, Pastor Services as for-lows. Practing 10.30 a.u., and 7.30 p.m. Sah-bath school 14.50 a m. Fraver meeting Wednes-day 7 p.m. as the cordialty invited to strend the above services. Danish Ev. Lutheran Church

Rev. P. Kjolhede, Bustor, Services tever unday at 10,30 a.m. Sundayschool at 9 a., n iblical Lecture Sunday evening at 7:0 clock. St. Mary's Catholic Church Services every first and, third Sunday of the nonth. Confection on the proceeding. Saturday on Sunday, mass at 10.45 octock a. m.; Sunday chool at 2.0 p. m.; Vespers and Henediction at 7 o'clock p. m. J. J. Riess, Pastor,

Grayling Lodge No. 356 F. & A. M. Meets in regular communication on Thursday evening on or hefore the full of the moon.

Win. WOODFIELD, W.M.
J. T. HUM Secretary.

Marvin Post No. 240, G. A. R. Meets the second and fourth Saturdays in entouth. D. S. WALDRON, Post Com., A. L. POND, Adjutant.

Women's Relief Corps, No. 162. Meets on the second and fourth Saturdays at MRS. AGNES HAVENERED

Grayling Chapter R. A. M. No. 120 Meets every third Tuesday in each month.
G. W. TMLER, H. J J. HUM, Sec.

Grayling Lodge I. O. O. F. No. 137 Migets every Tuesday evening.

GEO.W.-GRANDARL, N. G.

PETER BORCHER, Sec.

Crawford Tent, K. O. T. M. M. 192 Meets first and third Saturdays of each month, GEO, ORANDALL, Com. M. BRENNER R. K.

Grayling Chapter, O. E. S., No. 831

Court Grayling, I. O. F.: No. 790 F. M. FREELAND, R. S.

Companion Court Grayling No. <u>652, I. O. F.</u>

Crawford Hive, 690, L. O. T. M. M Meets first and third Priday of each month, NANCY DECKROW, Lady Com.

Carfield Circle, No. 16, Ladies of the G. A. R. Meets the second and fourth Eriday evening in

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By Prof. Geo. Burman Foster.

Work to-day wears a sour and stern countenance, not seldom full of pain, indeed, and on this account we are not without our fears that under the influence of socialism something of the joys of life may be sacrificed. We cometimes imagine that if work sat upon the all-powerful throne of life there would be no room for pleasure and pain any longer, for the free activity of the spirit in the kingdom of art and beauty in that world of the ideal where all traces of human indigence are obliterated. -

Let us look at the great subject in a large way. God is a creating, working God. . With His breath He sugtains all that lives. He renews the face of the earth unceasingly. So great and numerous are His works, so full is the earth of His wisdom and goodness, that the children of men may dwell under the shadow of His

But man is only truly man when he is like God. Therefore, only the creating, working man can speak of the divine-nobility of his nature; only such a man can be sure of being in the image and likeness of God, of sharing the eternal Father's strength and life.

He should no longer work because he must, but be cause he will. He will find his supreme happiness in his work. A co-worker with God, he will carry some stone to the great temple of humanity in which the divine light, life and love shall stream ever clearer and

REINCARNATION FALLACY OF FAR EAST.

By Dr. E. M. Peebles.

The literature of the reincarnation cult abounds in the repeated, the stereotyped phrase, the inequalities of itse, which inequalities considered from the viewpoint of the whole, are among the choicest blessings The reverse of inequality is sameness or deadly monotony. A forest of trees the same in kind, shape and height would induce a-distressing mania. If all births were equal, if there born and lifting up the deprayed on to the higher planes or moral consciousness and a better life. The test of a speculation, or of any theory, is its practicability. What then, is the result of a 2,000 years, belief in reincarnaman Hinduism?

Did the Hindus discover the potency of steam, did they put the railway system in practice, did they discover the Morse telegraphic communication, did they discover

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of the plates.

the telephone, or the spectroscope, or the liquefaction of oxygen, radium, wireless telegraphy, electric light? What has the reincarnation cult done during centuries for the overthrow of child marriage, for removing the curse of caste, and for the physical and mental education of India's millions?

As an imported theory from the dreamy, imaginative East, reincarnation may be thus summarized: It is not based upon one well-established scientific fact; it sets at defiance the law of evolution as ascending step by step through mineral, vegetable, man, angels, seraphs, gods: its 80,000,000 of believers in India, Tibet, Korea, Burma, constitute the most superstitious people on earth; it annihilates or stupefles memory for long periods of time; it degrades the aspirations of the spirit by rotating it back again and again into the meshes of matter; as a Karmic force it knows nothing of mercy or forgiveness, mercilessly punishing souls in this life for wrongs committed in some previous existence: in brief, it is a mingling of Hindu magic and Tibetan superstition, eclipsing the mind and deepening every mystery of the

IS WESTERN CIVILIZATION A FAILURE?

By P. Ramanathan.

The West, which includes Europe and America, is firmly persuaded that it is progressing satisfactorily. It is proud of its success in industry, science and politics, and claims to have created and to live in an age of prog-"Fifty years of ever-broadening commerce, fifty years of ever-brightening science and fifty years of ever-widening empire" represent the cry of those who are satisfied with material prosperity, even though its silver lines are set on a background of squalid poverty and lawless schemes

of-pevolution.
The nervous restlessness which characterizes life in Western cities is not the mark of true progress or sound civilization. This is felt to be so by the cultured few who are puzzled and amazed at the "up-to-date" craze which is slowly but surely quenching the spirit and so ruining the most valuable asset alike of the individual

It is folly to call this wide expansion of sensuousness and worldliness an age of progress. Sages declare that cities get filled with the rural population when love of finery and amusement dominates the minds of the beonle The flight of the country into towns, known already to too full of the unemployed and the unemployable, is like the rush of insects into a bonfire lit in a tropical night, and affords positive proof that the spread of sensuous ideals is breaking up the foundations of society.

ELEVEN DIE IN MINE BLAST.

Gas Explodes in Pennsylvania Coal Workings-110 Held Prisoners.

One American and ten Hungarians

furnished the death toll of a gas ex-plosion the other day in No. 2 slope of the Ernest mine of the Jefferson and Clearfield Coal Company, five miles north of Indiana, Pa. The explosion occurred in a heading where twelve workmen were located, and one of these Andrew Krazcer, escaped by crawling quarter of a mile on his stomach to evade the noxious gases. His inabil ity to speak English prevented a lucid explanation of the cause of the explosion. Some of the dead were found near the entrance to the heading, oth ers lay along the track at short tances from each other, almost at the face of the coal. Two bodies nearest the face were burned slightly about the bodies showed the men had made des perate efforts to crawl away from the heading. One hundred and ten men working in the same slope escaped through other headings of the mine. although they were held back for about ten hours by the black damp until a party of twelve mine reached them.

22.587.079 CATHOLICS IN U. S.

Illinois Drops to Third Place in Official Directory. There are 22,587,079 Catholics under

the United States flag, according to advance sheets of the Wiltzius Official Catholic Directory, published in Mil-waukee. The count includes those of the United States proper, Alaska, the Philippines, Porto Rico and the Hawali islands. The Catholic population under the British flag, according to the same directory, is 12,053,418. -In the United States proper there are 14.347 027 Catholies, showing a gain of 111,-576 over a year ago. The directory shows 4,845 parochial schools in this country with an attendance of 1,237, 251. Catholic population of the leading States in the Union is as follows:

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CONSEQUENCE OF BIG PRICES.

High Cost of Living in New York Cause of Suicides.

ing upon the working classes are ber of applications to the city of New. York, for aid as disclosed in figures made public the other day. The rising tide of inability to make income keep pace with living expenses is indicated in the fact that during the last twelve nonths more than 60,000 persons ought relief from the charities deer cent in five years. There were 32,995 application. In 1994. In seven years, the number of persons seeking helter in the city lodging house ha Increased until last year 102,400 persons applied, an increase of more than 100 per cent for the period. From 112 in 1906, the daily average has risen in three years to 281. Suicides have into 1900.

Wooden Ware Company There, Armour & Co. have begun to mak lill City, Minn., a model factory town Yew houses are under way and 175 families will be moved from Ithaca and The Chicago packers. Marble, Mich. have closed a deal with the owners of

the Hill City town site and will expend \$200,000 in improvements within year. They have purchased all the property of the Hill City Wooden Ware Company. The Mississippl, Hill City. and Western Railway, built into that section six months ago, was backed by Armour interests.

Merchant Prince Ends Life. led to the discovery of the suicide of in existence-since 1752, and in the terests. Henry H. Schwabacher, 55 years old, vaults are the original documents firm of J. and M. Schwabacher, Ltd., at a Mason on the 4th of November, 1752;

Telephones, Then Kills Self. On the sixth anniversary of the murder of her mother and the suicide of her father, Frances D. Floerckey o Philadelphia telephoned to her attor, and his heirs forever. Also my best ney that she intended to kill herself bed, bedstead and Virginia cloth curvey that she intended to kill herself then fired a bullet into her heart.

Mine Explosion Kills Siz. An explosion caused by a windy shot in mine No. 1 of the Stearns Coal Com pany, Stearns, Ky., killed six men. The hoisting machinery was not damaged and no difficulty was found in recov-

Drops Dead in Church Pews At the momen, that his daughte and grandson were confirmed in All Saints' Episcopal Church in Clevelau. George J. Keldel, aged 60, sank dead tional epics. to the floor in the new where he was standing.

Take Bank Head as Forger,

FIND LITTLE GEORGE, THE HATCHET AND THE CHOPPED DOWN CHERRY TREE. nation scrambling to its feet after the struggle for independence, uncertain, untried, became instantly personified in the grave wisdom of Washington The spirit of union, so sorely crippled by the Civil War, and long suspected by many Americans to be but the spirit of tyranny in disguise, took before all men's eyes the shape of Lincoln, so that Whitman thought of unionism as

"a new virtue, unknown to other

lands," to be added to Lincoln's hon-

WASHINGTUN'S BIRTHDAY PUZZLE.

esty, goodness, shrewdness, conscience. That the nation bred, each for his time, the man who led and typified his fellow men justifies democracy in its hope for the future. Washington was product of transplanted English All honor to that day which long ago Gave birth to him who Freedom's civilization, adopting when the time came_ideals_hostile_to_the_traditional Who, by his ardor in the sacred fight, order, but preserving the essence of The fire and strength of patriots that order in his conservatism and gra- 1876-Manitoba abolished the legislaing upon the working classes are aroused; clous dignity. Lincoln was the perfect shown in the largely expanded num who knew no master, save that One fruit of a half-century of national indivine Whose strength was his, who knew dependence, realizing a democracy that was_not_in_Washington's-blood, but-The fear of doing wrong! All hail the which he believed in and hoped for. The new nation-had made a new man. We can easily forget or fail to learn the principles of events long past. But them we can understand; we hear tall

Into the dust. The world its heroes love their living presence. And so patriotism cannot grow cold. The

> And are no more, but Freedom ever vivid personalities, and its spirit looks And whife it lives, and while its ban-From behind this bending, rough-cut Is upward flung into the golden sun, These lights and shades, this drama of -Youth's Companion

heart of American history is in these

FACTS ABOUT WASHINGTON. As commander in chief of the army e drew \$500 a month.

Of 69 electoral votes—ca first President-he got 69. He was 57 years old when he entered upon the office of President.

· His awny, when he first took charge, vas 14,000 men, 9,000 of them from Massachusetts.

He always had his hair powdered at ublic receptions, and never shook with any one at such times. His father had a farm of 1,000 acres,

of wheat and tobacco, and in addition carried on brickyards and fisheries in

At his inauguration he wore a full suit of fine cloth made by his own servants, and the dresses of his wife vere also woven on the plantation. He was just 21 years old when Gov. Dinwiddle sent him on a perilous jour ney to Ohio to find but the strength of the French, which he accomplished

The Indians said he bore a charmed lie after he got four bullets through his coat and had two horses shot him in a movement led by Gen. Braddock against Fort Duquesne.

At 13 he was the strength marve of the neighborhood, being shundently nitch quoits and onttoss iron bars an boy of his age in Virginia, to say noth men of strong physique are able to ing of his hatchet accomplishments. He wrote Gov. Clinton, at the close

of the war! "The scene is at last closed, and I feel myself eased bf a load of public care. I hope to spend he remainder of my days in cultivate ing the affection of good men and in the practice of the domestic virtues."

Noncommittal.



Tourist-So you knew George Washington? Is it true that he never told

Lincoln. But in Washington and Line he done and gone and tole it in sich coln are concentrated the meaning of a way, dat it sounded prezackly late



1497—Second patent granted to John Cabot by Henry VII. of England to make a western voyage of discov-

1652-New Amsterdam incorporated, and a municipal government established.

1668-The valley of the St. Lawrence vieited by a disastrous earthquake. 1690—Schenectady, N. Y., attacked and burned by the French and Indians. 1693-Neurly 2,000 persons killed in earthquake in Sicily.

1775-Second Provincial Congress met at Cambridge, Mass. 1776-The Gadsden flag presented to the American Congress.

1783-Sweden recognized the independence of the United States ... Final cessation of hostilities between the United States and Great Britain. 1787-Gen. Arthur St. Clair elected

President of the American Con 793-Salary of President of the United.

States fixed at \$25,000 a year. 811-Prince of Wales appointed regent for King George III. of England. 814-Massachusetts abolished impris-

1831—Baron Aylmer entered upon his term of office as Governor of Canada.

1859—Gen. Zuloaga resigned the presidency of Mexico. 1861-The government of the Confeder

ate States of America organized st 1867-The Earl of Carnarvon, British

colonial secretary, introduced the British North American Act into the House of Lords Nebraska admitted to Statehood, by act of

tive council. National League of Baseball Clubs organized at Cin-1883—Toronto opera house destroyed

by fire. 1887—Sir Alexander Campbell appoint-

ed Lieutemint Governor of Ontario.
David Turple elected United 1888 Completion of the Lick observatory-at-Mount Hamilton, Cal.

1889—United States Senate rejected an extradition treaty with Great Britatg. 1899—Commander Taussig took pos-

session of the Island of Guam in the name of the United States. 1892—The Behring Sea Commission met at Washington.

893—The Illinois Legislature repealed the compulsory education law. 1895—Insurrection in Cuban began,

1897—Pennsylvania State capital at Harrisburg destroyed by fire.

1900—Sir Wilfrid Laurier delivered memorable speech in Parliament on the relations, between Canada and Great Britain. 1901—I. P. Brodeur elected speaker of

the Dominion House of Commons. 1904 Beginning of the great Baltimore fire which lasted two days and destroyed property to the value of nearly \$150,000,000 ... William H. Taft became Secretary of War.

The Reid company awarded 31. 500,000 for the loss of telegraph 1908—Manual II, ascended the throne of

han, Persia, captured by the rebels.

Cold Facts.



Hen—There, my dear son, go eggs aid by my grandmother, who is dead and gone these two years.-Life.

SHORT NEWS NOTES. The Salvation Army has announced the receipt of \$2,500 from an unidenti-

New York bread line. New York thieves have stolen a pain

of huge bronze spectacles from the statue of Chester A. Arthur, in Madi-A snake fifteen feet long and five

inches in diameter, which had been crawling along one of the principal residence streets of Jersey City, was

negroes is to be built at New York by St. Philip's Episcopal Church, a-wealthy negro congregation.

The bas relief of Ezra Cornell's head is so hard to duplicate in ordinary decorative work that the trustees of Cornell University have offered a prize of \$200 for the best emblem for the university.

Police at Lexington, Kv., believe that drunken rewdies broke the window glasses in the Burley Tobacco Socie-ty's offices there and scared the watch-

ASCINATION

in the fall and spring one goes to auctions; that is, if one has acquired-You, dear woman, who have time and the inclination cannot resist if you let this peculiar habit get hold of you; you will buy things for which the have no use; things you do not need,

is entirely on a different principle. | because the temptation proves too strong and you cannot resist. It is said a drunkard eannot pass a saloon with its tempting sign; there instead of reducing the efficiency of is a fascination in those signs for him because of his raging thirst for drink, the burners it makes melting of the Well, I have seen women who could no more resist the red hag of the tioneer than can such a poor, demoralized man the signs that carry tempta-It is a safe divided into two parts, tion in every letter. There is no doubt of its being a nice, ladylike form of one part being the surrounding condissipation, this love of auction buying: you will be oathing, and be loud in your denunciation of gambling, of drunkenness, of all sorts of things, but it you have contracted this habit its hold is quite as strong upon you as upon those other victims, or rather, victims of other

And it, is, not always in the hope that something really worth while may be "knocked down to you," for next to nothing, that carries you to such sales? Are you not nearly always on the lookout for some bit tique furniture, perhaps; some rare small piece of bijouterie that has been tucked away so others do not see it?

Sometimes you, dear woman, may have a "fad for collecting something; It may be fans or tables or lamps, or anything about the house; then you go to every auction where there can be a chance to bid in something of the sort. Please remember that auctioneers are always cognizant of these They will soon recognize you; any one of them will note exactly are in the habit of buying, and, dollars to cents, he can tell just which of the hundreds of things he is about to sell you are likely to bid on Then, if he knows his calling, he will have an imaginary bidder ready; he will watch you when you think you are indifferent; he will not need you call out the additional bid; just the barest nod of the head; even the flicker of an eyelash will be enough for his experienced eye, and-you will be caught in the meshes of your habit again.

We all know that woman that buys bargains; I know one exceedingly well; so well that I never go to a store on "bargain day" without a severe mental arraignment of myself, and a peep into numerous boxes where are things I may never hope to use, and which nobody on earth wants; for which not much cash was paid in each especial cass, but a respectable not let the 'auction habit" grow on you.—St. Louis Globe Democrat.

can only be reconstructed from skins only attested living specimens for and bones and old descriptions. New Yorkers remember when the

the safe at any given point is con-Grand Manas, and four years later tinually changing which makes impos- the last to be known was shot by J. C. "cutting Bell, who sold its skin to the Smithsonian Institution at Washington.

years past were in captivity. A few were in the Cincinnati-Zoo, a few in Labrador duck was common in the Milwaukee others had been bred from market Sallors easily shot and a single pair owned by Prof. C. u. brought it to port by thousand. Now Whitman of Chicago University, Six only_three_are_preserved in all the years ago Prof. Whitman's refused fur world. Walter Rothschild of England ther to interpreed. All that were has two of them—one obtained from known were presently dead, except-Gordon Plummer of Brookline; Mass., one male in Cincinnati and one female who bought it in Fulton Market, New in the Whitman aviary. The lone fe-York, in 1860; the other from William male was sent to the disconsolate male.

Dutcher of New York, by whom it Of the tremendous flocks which once was received from the widow of a man flew over the United States, only these named Thompson, who shot it in the two birds are left.—Everybody's Maga-

It is said that every man's defin It inclusive of himself. Likewise it is true that each man is prone to believe world. A writer in the Washington Star, speaking of this point, relates the following story. On a man-of-war there was once a reception, and it happened that a distinguished statesman forgot, or did not know, the usual formal salute on coming aboard.

F. A. Rahders, president of the People's State Bank in Lakota, N. D. bank examiner, was arrested on a

his store in New Orleans. Mr. Schwa. he passed to the Fellow Craft degree bacher, who was a millionaire, had March 3, 1753, and was raised to Mas-

Aged Couple Die by Poison. bodies of Henry Stubernack and his an apprentice. vife Mathilda were found by a son-in-Stubernack was 80 years old and tion as to the existence of such a per-ife but four years younger. They son as George Washington is the will his wife but four years younger. They nad swallowed morphine.

Loss to Orange Crop Is Heavy Damage to oranges in California by hall. Few people see any of these the heavy_frosts_of_six_weeks_ago_is much greater than supposed. Some experts say a third of the crop is frozen which means a direct loss of many mil-

ering the bodies.

Within the heart of every freeman's erensed_nearly 50 per cent_from_1904 Will live that honored name, George ARMOURS PLAN MODEL TOWN Then honor to the day that gave him Buy Hill City, Minn., Site and For it is also Freedom's notal day. Let all who worship Freedom's cause stand forth And-to his memory their homage

And let each loyal son the work take For, know ye, Freedom's work is never done— And greater, grander, build the edifice Begun so long ago by Washington Arthur J. Burdick.

When George Became a Mason. so that chopped cherry to One of the interesting evidences that such a heavy loss after all. When George Became a Mason. George Washington is not a myth is Blood dripping through the ceiling Fredericksburg lodge, No. 4, has been showing that George was initiated as suffered from stomach allments for ter Mason Aug. 4, 1753. The entry on the journal reads as follows:

WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY.

That gave to Freedom's cause Georg

Years come and go, and generations

Washington!

lives.

4th August, 5753, which day, the lodge being present, transactions of the evening are: George Washington. as revealed in Hamilton, O., when the raised Mason, Thomas James entered Another interesting bit of corrobora

made by his mother. This interesting e seen at the Fredericksburg city historical-treasures, however, as only endure the bed and board of Freder icksburg's one hotel. The will, after the solemn introduction, refers as follows to the Father of His Country:

"Imprimis: I give to my son, Gen George Washington, all land in Acco keek run, in the county of Stafford, and also my negro boy George, to hin and his heirs forever. Also my best tains the same that stands from votest bedroom), my quilted blue and white quilt, and my best dressing glass."

Washington and Lincoln. Happy is the nation whose mightles events are grouped about great person alities, knowable, humanly comple heart-satisfying. In them is embodied the spirit of the historical movements they commanded. Through them the best ideals of their contemporaries are clear to us. Their biographies are na

weight of growing nationality, would have parted sooner or later from the mother country. Fifty years ago, th forces that tended to national unity Were stronger than those that made for disunion, and in the end unity ist bave prevailed, even without the nation's great triumphs. The young de trufe!

Without Washington America, by

Uncle Ephraim-Well, if he did, suh,

cut in two by a trolley car, A \$200,000, institutional church for

man into thinking they were night

the safe are connected with an outcharging circuit, which connection is broken when the closing hour approaches. A time switch, likewise within the safe, is set to stop the motor at any given time the next morning or the following morning, should the day be Saturday. The doors are closed, and the motor is started by an outside switch, which however, is not capable of stopping it The safe then commences to revolve. and continues this movement at a

CONDITION WHEN REVOLVING.

crete or stone wall, and the other the

tion is stationary, but within it the

an electric motor fitted close to the

lower ball bearings on which the safe

stationary, entrance to it being gain-

ed through the doors. During this

rmored safe, proper.

until stopped by the time switch. Rotating at such a speed, the surface of burners." Again, as the safe is designed as a polygon, the distance bestrument in the hands of the burglar is changing constantly, and with the burner and the rotating wall. would, to say the least, place the burner out of commission and endanger the operator. The same may be said of any other tool used in an attempt to break the safe open.—Popular Magazine.

DECREASE IN BIRD LIFE. Whole Species Extinguished by Bat

In times of record the chief birds markets were ready. The birds sold are the dodo (1681), great auk (1844); in New York for a cent apiece. in "What does he know about man charge of forgery. He was released Nestor Productus parrot (1851), and Nobody has noted a passenger ners? I don't suppose he was ever under \$7,500 bond Pallas' cormorant (recently). These pigeon, and proved it, since 1909. The out of wight of land in his life."

St. Lawrence River in 1852. Nine zine. years afterward one was killed on

You see how carefully the roll is called and identifications are made that his manners are the best in the when the battle is over. The battle is about over for the beautiful passenger pigeon. In 1848 it came down the Iudson River in such numbers that the then owner of "Claremont," near the place where Grant's Tomo now is, shot from his roof 100 in a morning. Twenty-eight years later a "pigeon nesting" near Petoskey, Mich., oc. his skypt cupled an area twenty-eight miles sallor. long, averaging four miles wide, That "Choke your luff," returned another season (according to freighting rec. sallor: "That's Senator Blank, the isords) a billion passenger pigeons were mous tariff leader." destroyed in Michigan, when roosting,

"Who's that lubber what don't tip his skypiece to the skipper?" said a

"Well," growled the first sailor by guns, bludgeons and pots of sul. why sin't he got manners enough uphur. Refireads had been laid and salute the quarter-deck?" "Lionneral" a third railo

Aloft and Alow The traveler was taking his first ylew of Chicagol / 1 / 1/2

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Kace to Ankle a Mass et Humor. "About seven years ago a small abrasion appeared on my right leg to that I began to scratch it and itbegan to spread until my leg from my ankle to the knee was one solid scale like a scab. The frritation was always worse at night and would not allow me to sleep, or my wife either, and it was completely undermining our health. I lost fifty pounds in weight and was almost out of my mind with pain and chagrin as no matter where

the irritation came, at work, on the street or in the presence of company, would have to scratch it until I had the blood running down into my shoe. I simply cannot describe my suffer-ing during those seven years. The pain, mortification, loss of sleep, both o myself and wife is simply indescrib able on paper and one has to experience it to know what it is.

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All Snarled Up Again. know I didn't mean it—though I did mean that I was happy to—to—make your acquaintaice in this informal-though to be sure, it's format, and quite properly so, for there is nothing so en-joyable as 16 winess the opening—I should say the unfolding—of the pre-mature, or, rather, of the immature— which is the word I intended to use, of course-in this delightful and convenyour pardon, Miss Glizzard, but one of

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tanti true. Pulsatilla! Tell me "Well, George, you'll have to go and

Unfortunate New Yorkers. In New York we have become so hardened to eating the strange products of the cold storage vaults that would probably seem unpalatable. To the_diner_accustomed_to_the_pale, tasteless chicken of our hotels and brought in a minority report, taking restaurants, a real full-blooded broiler, the view adopted by the Senate. A slain within the current year, would taste "strong" and obnoxiously assertive. Similarly, a really fresh egg, might seem to our sophisticated palgates to possess too many of the at-tributes of the ingenue.—New York

Tarring and Feathering. The first_recorded_instance_of_tarcrusades. In that year, the first of the reign of Richard I. a law was passed that "any robber voyaging with the crusaders shall be first shaved," then hot pitch shall be poured upon him and a cushion of feathers shook over him." After this the criminal was to be put ashore at the first landing place the ship reached.

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The Week in Congress

The Senate gave the greater part of the day Saturday to the question of constitutionality of the extradition of criminals from one State to another in cases in which the prosecution is according to the process of "informs No action was taken. The postal savings bank bill was also uo for a time. The only important actio taken was on a bill opening to settlement the unallotted lands in the Pine Ridge Indian reservation in South Dakota. Early in the day Senator Aldrich reported from the Committee on Public Expenditures a bill creating a permanent commission for the regulation of methods of government expenditure. He failed to obtain the unanimous consent asked to have the measure acted upon, Senator Elkins objecting. The House was not in ses-

In the Senate Monday Senator Hey burn bifterly opposed a loan of tents by the government for use at the annual encampment of confederate veterans at Mobile, Ala., next April and strongly condemned the acceptance by as a contribution from Virginia to Statuary Hall in the capitol. The bill was passed unanimously except for Mr. Heyburn's vote. Mr. Rayner in a speech attacked the constitutionality of the proposed postal savings banks law. The Senate passed a dozen bills for the establishment of fish-hatchery stations in various parts of the country. The President's federal in-corporation bill was introduced in the Mr. Makinbrukes had just been introduced to the fair debutante.

"I need not tell you. Miss Glizzard," ative Garrett, of Tennessee, on the yet, I suppose, of course, it's the groper thing to tell you—and I am sure you the substantial of the supply to and ground of unconstitutionality. The House devoted two and a half hours thing to tell you—and I am sure you to a discussion of one of its rules reknow I don't mean it. The purply Aid. cently adopted for the purpose of facilitating business.

> The postal savings bank bill and the bureau of forestry were under discussion in the Senate Tuesday. The public expenditures committee was also taken up in debate, some Senators seeing a possible interference with the regular committees because of the comof living were charged against the immigration committee in the House by the expenses contracted by the commission on its trip to Europe last summer.

An investigation of the chuses of the high prices of the necessaries of life sage of a resolution for that purpose by the Senate. The Senate also passed -bill conferring the rank of rear ac miral upon Commander Pearly and re tiring him with the highest salary paid a rear admiral. This was "calendar day" in the House, and several bills were passed, including one creation of an art commission to pass upon various works of art erected by Congress in the District or Columbia.

day on the summons of the District Court for the joint committee on print ing to appear in the paper award pro-ceedings brought by the Valley Paper Company, by instructing the Senate members of the committee to ignore the summons. The Senate denied the right of the courts to interfere with its legislative function. Senator Borah in a speech on the income tax asserted that the fears of Governor Hughes that constitutional amendment would municipal securities were groundless. The House spent the entire day in deobey the court summons to appear in the Valley Paper Company's case. The majority of the judiciary committee favored compliance, but three mem-bers, including Chairman Parker, night session was held and the majority-report finally adopted.

The Senate passed the Bennett previously passed the House. The Sencorce the immigration feature from allothers. After a two-hour session the enate adjourned until Monday? The diplomatic and consular bill appropri--ring and feathering a human being ating \$3,700,000 was passed by the was in 1180, during the time of the House. Mr. Harrison and Mr. Fitzger-crusades. In that year, the first of ald of New York charged that the activity of the State Department in the interest of American trade resulted in coercing weaker governments and in certain favored banks getting the benefit of loans. The House was in session six hours and adjourned till Mon-

> ALL AROUND THE GLOBE Dr. James B. Angell of the Univer-sity of Michigan has gone to Florida because of bronchial trouble.

rudge A. S. Core of the You York Circuit Court of Appeals, has declined the appointment of presiding justice of the new Customs Court tendered by President Taff.

As the result of the explosion in As the result of the explosion in Pittsburg of a kerosene lamp and con-sequent fire, Andrew Pacle and wife and child were so seriously burned that they are not expected to live.

Much-machinery was rulned when the Windsor Brick Company's plant at Akron, Ohio, burned, causing \$50,000 loss, mostly-insured.

loss, mostly insured.

Commander Robert E. Peary proposes a south pole expedition, starting next fall, backed by the Peary Arctis Club and the National Geographic So-clety, but says he is physically unable to head it. De Witt C. Hillegas, of Philadelphia

was sentenced to five years' imprison-ment for aiding in misappropriating

funds of the Farmers National Bank of Boyertown, appealed, and was re-

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I used to write for a medical periafter a very heavy day's work at the hospital and feeling completely exhausted I found a note from the edion such an such a subject to-night. I sat down with pen and paper be fore me, but not a word could I write speculate as to the cause of my want of ideas. I thought: "The brain is the same as it was yesterday, but yesterday I was not tired. Perhaps It is the feebler circulation that prevents the brain from acting. If the may bring the brain down to the blood." I therefore placed my head flat-on-the-table, looking sideways at the paper, and began to write easily. On raising my head again every blea fled, so I placed my head again down on the table and finished the article-with my head in that position.-Sir T. Lauder Brunton in Prac titioner.

Cuban Statistics. In 1907 Cuba had a population of 2.048.980; an increase of 30 per cent from 1899. Havana, the most thickly populated province, has 538,010 people Over-one-half of the Island's popula tion lives in the gural districts, the 134 towns and cities containing 900. 000 inhabitants or 43.9 per cent of the total population. Havana, the largest city, has 297,159 people. There are 1,074,882 males and 974,098 females the average number to a family i slightly less than five, and an area of 44.164 square miles allow of an aver-

Population for Mile of Railroad. According to Canadian railway statistics for the year, 1907, the United States has a population of 381 for each mile of railway, and Canada 289. make possible the taxing of state and France has 1,500 for each mile of rail way, and the United Kingdom 1,821. In India there are 10,119 people for bating whether the House members of each mile of railroad. In the United fooled, the joint printing committee should States there are 13 all source miles of the deterritory for each mile of railway; in Canada 161.8 square miles; in the United Kingdom 5.29 square miles, and in France 8.46 square miles for each \$70,659 depositors. mile of railway.

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trial.

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our Co.'s branch house here is of a very confining nature. During my coffee-drinking days I was subject to nervousness and 'the blues' in addition to my sick spells. These have left me since I began using Postum and I can conscientiously recommend it to those whose work confines them to-long hours of severe mental exertion."

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cultural Experiment Station says i fruits abundantly even in pure sand Canada it is a godsend, and fruits long after frost has killed most garden

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it yields \$250 worth of fruit per acre with him. Mrs. J. H. Powers, 4732 Kenwood avenue, Chicago, enough berries on a space 4x10 feet supply herself and friend J. P. Swallow, Kenton, Ohio, says its

equal for all purposes does not exist. Rev. H. B. Sheldon, Pacific Grove. Cal., says he likes the berries served n any and every way. W. T. Davis, Enon, Va., says it is

rue to description in every way, and fruits in three months from seed. Judge Morrow, of U. S. Circuit ply delicious raw or cooked.

Mr. Childs exhibited one plant five months old bearing 10.275 berries which measured about eight quarts-Mexico, says it stands long, hard to darken the pathway before us."

droughts of that climate and fruits "Well, Bessie," he replied, as he. droughts of that climate and fruits abundantly-áll-summer.

The Elephant's Revenge In the autobiography of Lindley Murray a passage occurs from which it appears that one of the clearest heads that ever engaged in the busi ness of analysis was well nigh cracked by a simple agent for a small Mrs. Emelline Green, nurse, Osage, Oriense. In the year 1771 he visited tows, says: "I have nursed many the alenhants at the queen's palage cases of terrible kid the elephants at the queen's palaceand, from whatever motive ventured to withdraw a portion of the hav which one of them had been collect ing with his proboscis on the floor The little affront offended the sagacious animal highly. The keeper remarked that he would never forget. and it was obvious from the rapid convolutions of his-trunk that he only wanted an opportunity to avenge the misappropriation of his property on bloating reterriton the spot. The grammarian, however, and bladder troubles kept out of his way, probably think ing no more of the matter, until he sale by all dealers. 50 cents a-box chanced to revisit the same place after Fosto Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y. an interval of several weeks. On this occasion a number of other persons were present, but of the whole the elephant singled out his enemy and which, fortunately, neither proved

fatal por took effer Emperor Francis of Austria and his mpress once attended the perform ance of a play which abounded in theater he remarked good-naturedly, "We may congratulate ourselves on having seen the piece at all, for I am sure that it will be speedily forbid-

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am for men." One day he stopped in a blacksmith shop to chat with the workmen. Dur-ing the visit a florid-faced man of prosperous appearance came into the shop. He and the minister began occupation. They became good friends

Finally the florid-faced man prothe well-informed mother uses only, the pleasant and gentle laxative remduced his card, which announced that he was in the saloon business on West street.

he said, "and I'll give you a good as it is wholly free from all objectime. "All right," replied the minister.

and by the way. I'm running a pretty good place myself. Come and see me and I'll give you a good time."
"I'll-sure do that," said the other

"but by the way, where is your joint?"

'My joint," was the reply, "is the First Preshyterian Church. Just inquire for the pastor, and I'll be at your service."

The Blot on His Past. "Haven't you anything to confess to me before it is too late?" she asked. "Remember that it will be much bet ter for us to part even now than it Court, says the Wonderberry is sim- will be after to morrow. Think, Isn't there in your past something that you have hidden from me" Don't be afraid to confess it. I will forgive you if it is not too terrible, and then we can Mrs. Hattle Vincent, Hayden, New begin our married life with no shadow

avoided-looking-into-her eyes, "there-It is certainly the most satisfactory is something. I am going to throw garden fruit and the greatest Novelty phyself upon your mercy. Don't judge ever introduced.

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A column dedicated to Tired Mothers as they join the Home Circle at Evening Tide.

Crude thoughts as they fall from the Editorial Pen-Pleasant Evening

GEORGE WASHINGTON. All over this broad land the 22nd of

February-Washington's birthday--is

celebrated. How shall any man add aught to the praise or eulogy of George Washington? History and biography, eloquence and poetry have exhausted their combined riches upon the successful leader of the American revolution and the founder of the American republic our first great

Every great crisis in the history of the world has found its man to controland guide it. Call this Providence or accident, the American revolution was no exception to it. Before the first murmurs of discontent were heard, in that struggle the man was being prepared for the crisis. On the banks of the Potomac and the Rappahannock, thirty years before Lexington and Bunker Hill, a truthful and manly boy was growing up. ripening into stalwart manhood with only a common school education of that early day, the young man was soon being educated in the broader school of nature and experience, in the great forest, under the oven heavens, with his surveyor's chain ing the frontier settlements from

spirit and military commander of all 50c and \$1.00, A trial bottle f campaigns swell the measure of his fame. Then with his peace commander lays aside the sword, marries and settles upon his inherited country seat at MtVernon and like his ancestors is now a rich landed proprietor, a Virginia farmer and planter and country gentleman. the colonies against the tyranny of the and Mason and Pendleton, colleagues to that first continental congress at Philadelphia

debate and petition and remonstrance before-it-was-war, war, for liberty Virginia delegation and advanced to the bar of the house to accept his great trust, this modest frontier colonel. legislator and planter-tall, ime need be, on our country's alter. posing and commanding in appear ance, his fine form made athletic and with recitations and music by a num sinewy-by-long, manly-excercise; his ber in the school, all of which were judgment ripened by experience in applauded by the audience. of the hero which the crisis demanded, George Washington, the MAN.

ide from all, questions of succes or failure, as we look at the man, what English language, at dettysburg. or failure, as we look at the man, what His giving his time and care to a The pope maintains a mosaic factors it made Washington great? It is His giving his time and care to a core in the Vatican. Here the patient clear that it was not the possession of dying rebel captain, putting aside his artists work in a gallery lined with congress or convention, nor as speak. wrought feeling, proving him again, of cilica of all the myriad varying displayed. Other men have availed today is which the many world today is which the shades required to reproduce the displayed. displayed. Other men have excelled world today is glad to claim as true? at was manhood; it was character; it Pond and Comrads John Failing, A was moral greatness. It was that G. Wilcox, D. S. Waldron, George nice adjustment of the moral and Brott, and others, whose names intellectual faculties, that perfect escape us now, responded to the call blending of parts, that lofty sense of of the secretary, and gave parts of duty in the performance of every their service history to which was trust, that spotless truth, that stain. given close attention.

less honor, that incorruptible integration of the fine first, that spotless courage and unshaken endurance—all these and which elicited such applause that she peice of manhood which flowered out in that eighteenth century of time and which is now evermore the priceless possession and glory of history. This in the supreme greatness of Wash-

Take the sunshine sent-into your don't darken it with shadows of your own making.

"Believe nothing that you hear and only half of what you see," says the snind while listening to the latest bit of scandal. Never condemn your meighbor unheard; however many the "cui saccusations which may be prefered against him. Every story has two ways of heing told, and justice requires that you hear the defense as well as the accusation; and remember that the malignity of enemies may thousand words in the English lan place you in a similar predicament.

THE LOVE AND RESPECT OF CHILDREN.

If mothers could only realize what critical period their children are \$2.75."

passing through from the third to the sixth year, they would exeercise more than ordinary care during that time. children is of more value to his tired wife than the presentation of a costly

begin to notice papa's and mamma's bearing toward one another; let this respect for parents as constant bicker. that amount more. ing in the presence of their children. The first thing a child should be taught is respect for his parents and elders; affection comes naturally with most children, and is the most valuable aid in gaining control of their out it very little can be accomplished the use of artificial hair fixings for the childs welfare. Parents should bear in mind that children lose respect cut from the heads of dead coolies. very soon on hearing them disagree;

using bitter cutting words to each actual pain these baby hearts have manly chest. been called upon to bear. In the presence of this the child experiences, lips to those shining coils of hair. . conflicting emotions which ends in pity for one parent and contempt for the heads of dead coolies. It is a before you lose hold on this little being who has heretofore considered and that the worst we can get in of purpose in act, word and deed be- with insect powder, fore these little creatures, who are so susceptible to every impression, if, you would preserve their love and

Saved Prom Awful Peril. "I never feit so near my grave," writes Lewis Chamberlin of Mancher ter, Ohio's R. F. D. No 3. "as when a ter, Ohioc R. F. D. No 3. "as when a frightful cough and lung trouble pulled me down to 115 pounds to spige of many remedies and the best doctors. And that I am alive today is due soft by to Dh. King's New Discovery, completely cured me. Now I weigh to attract the attention of the 160-pobnds and can work hard. It "big girls." has also cured my, four children of croup." Infallible for Coughs and Calle for the particles of the property of the particles of the coup." Infallible for Coughs and Calle for the particles of the parti savage incursions.

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W.R. C. BANQUET.

The W. R. C. served a sumptions the blood, and stiggestion, creates applicable petite. To strengthen and build up drussmaker's establishment today pate, 3th, weak changes or raindawn, costs the husband more money than pate, 3th, weak changes or raindawn, costs the husband more money than last Saturday evening in complement to equal. Best for fix the nights in a barroom did a decade male complaints. Unly 50c. at A. M. ago. There are hundreds of women in Lewis & Co.

Sew York who spend more than \$10. end, had not the voice of patriotism. Oration of the one hundred and first annevirsary of the birth of Abrahau called him to take part with his annevirsary of the birth of Abrahan neighbors and the oppressed people of Lincoln, the "Savior of the Nation." "Great Emancipator." After the mother country. Washington sat the banquet, all repaired to the Post with Jefferson and Richard Henry Lee Room, where they were given a brief, but most cordial welcome Corps. President, Mrs. Geo. W. Brott. responded to by Rev. J. Humpher The guns of Lexington crack, and Fleming, a member of the G. A. R. their far echoes' reach the patriot who paid most fitting tribute to him, turn, and to us all at the last sad rites, as one of the most wonderful men of when the frail body was laid in it ed the colonies to action. It had been at the time. His moral worth, His mal resting place, we extend to our invincible courage and determination in all matters which he deemed right and for the best onists had closed in upon the retreat of the nation, in its time of greatest. ing British in Boston Who should need, his mastery of statesmanship, this leader be? The hour, found the and oratory unsurpassed, and his man, and out there stepped from the never failing sympathy for those wh suffered; and especially for the wives and mothers of the ones whose lives were offered, a willing sacrifice i

The speeches were interspersed

history of the acts of the great President immediatily following his deliv ery, of the most famous speech of the n all these ways, but not in word. Com. W. Hayens, Adjatant. A.

McNeil;" and not yet being satisfied, they would not accept her declination untill they had heard "Naughty Bell," "Aunt Rhoda's Dream", with "Agnes, I Love Thee" for a closing encore.

It was an occasion long to be remembered, and many a soldier's eye grew dim from memories there invoked, while hearts beat proudly strong to know they were soldiers under this great leader.

Took All His Money,

Often all a man earns goes to docters and for medicines, to cure a Stom ach, Liver of Kidney troubles that Dr King's New Life Pills would quickly, cure at slight cost. Best for Dyspersia, Indigestion, Biliousness, Constipation, Jaundice, Malaria and Debillty, 25c at A. M. Lewis & Co.

There are two hundred and fiftyguage, and most of them were used ast Sunday by a lady who discovered after coming out of church, that her new hat was adorned with a tag, on rhich was written, "reduced to neers are prospecting in the Hime.

STATE'S LOSS VERY SMALL.

Nor only physically but mentally and will lose but a small amount when the norally are they undergoing a change final settlement is made regarding the for better or worse, according to the failure of Frank P. Glazier's bank, care and attention they receive from says Deputy State Treasurer Haarer, their mothers and fathers. A father is There is now due the state from the no more exempt from certain duties Chelsea bank, \$269.975.59. There retoward his offspring than a mother, mains to be collected from the bond-He should always bear in mind that ing companies \$257,500. It is said his assistance in the control of the that this amount will be paid over to the state treasurer. In addition to this amount the state will receive a gift. It is at this time that children dividend from the receiver in the barkruptcy proceedings.

The state treasurer has now receiv always be one of perfect courtesy and ed \$64,154,54 from the receiver, and respect. Nothing so quickly destroys the state will receive at least one-half

WE HUG IN PEACE AGAIN.

It is denied that leprosy is being sown among our mothers, wives, actions; next to that is respect; with sisters, daughters and sweethearts by It is denied that these tresses are

ut from the heads of dead coolies. animals nowadays better than i The denial comes as a relief. There treated men in the past." used to be solid comfort in the moother. This is inflicting the first ment when she snuggled up to our QUALITIES THAT MAKE A LAB

We used to occasionally press our We are glad they are not cut from the other. () parent, pause, consider, great satisfaction to know that they ome from the heads of live Redoute you perfect. Let there be unanimity return for our caress can be cared

> Young man, you had better go t school while you now have an oppor tunity, and thus secure an education that wilkenable you to command more up to manhood. It is the fellows who in their boyhood who will growl the most about hard times

President Helps Orphans. Hundreds of orobans have been helped by the President of the Industrial and Orphan's Home at wheen Garwho writes: "We have used bleering in this Institution for nine the test family medicine on earth."

It invigorates all vital organs purifies

Card of Thanks.

Realizing as we do the fullest of our baby boy, and during the weary ours and days of waiting for our re-

friends our sincerest thanks, and hope for them the presence of like friends in their time of sorrow, whi

N. P. Olson, Marie Olson and family

Try-Silence. The man who counts 30 in his mind before he speaks soon discovers that comes your temperamental inclination

Vatican Mosaic Factory. The pope maintains a mosaic fac-

One London Man Unafraid. happens to make us doubt all these prosperity stories. For instance, man in London has offered for exhibition purposes to live 21 days on canned meat.

The tolling of a bell at a funeral is purely pagan custom. The idea was to drive away evil spirits. Funeral bells are known to have been used by the church in the sixth century, A. D.

Dislike Dark Colored Objects. Bees are said to have such an an "Well, I saw him nonplused once." tipathy to dark colored objects, that "How was that?" black chistens have been stung to "Miss Keene asked him if he death, while white ones of the same thought she looked as old as she was." ere left untouched

The Love of Life. Horror of annihilation is so instino tive in us that from the throes of morleap, into the ardent agitations of life. -Princers Aurelie Ghika.

Please Pronounce It. The Russian official organ in Si Petersburg has a fine name for the newspapers. It is the Praulteletvini

Firemen on Ocean Linera One hundred and twenty fremen are required to feed the furnaces of a Arst-class Atlantic steamer.

Prospect in Himalayas. Seventeen American mining MAN GROWING MORE HUMANE

Treatment of Domestic Animals 1 Proof of This.

"Electric fans in stables, horse shower baths and screens to keep out flies and mosquitoes are not uncommon nowadays in rich men's estab lishments." said a coachman world is improving. Animals are now treated better than men used to be.

dogs and cats. You find them every season. And they are continually in service. "Look at the straw bonnets that

horses wear on the hot days. These connets, with a moist sponge inside them, are an immense protection against the heat. And look at the many costly and excellent kinds of fly nets that are continually being patented.

"Then there are innumerable board ing houses in the country for dogs and cats and horses, where these animals may be sent in July and Aug ust if the hot weather runs them

"Yes, undoubtedly the world treat:

dea of Charles Dana Gibson Very Near the Truth.

"I dined with Charles Dana Gibson at Prince's restaurant in London durng the season," said a Chicagoan. "The lofty, spacious dining-room as filled with women in pale gowns, heir hair uncovered and their arms and necks bare, and though these women were very fashionable, very aristocratic, they smoked cigarettes with their coffee as they watched the bioscope pictures that went on at one end of the big room and as they lis-tened to the singing that went on at

the other.
"Amid all this feminine smoking we Americans began to discuss and to define the word lady.' Was it ladylike to sme're? we asked. Would lady ever smoke?

I think Mr. Gibson's definition of a lady was the best that was given. A lady, he said, ignoring the oke question altogether, "is a woman who always remember others and never forgets herself."

EXTREMES IN MODERN COSTUME Woman's Dress Extravagant and Im modest Says Writer.

It has gone beyond extravagance in women's clothes. It has come into-debauchery. The dress habit is ruin-ing more homes now than the drink ago. There are hundreds of women in New York who spend more than \$10. 00 a year on dress

The woman who might have dared to walk upper Broadway of a suming a 1906 waist so thin and trans-Realizing as we do the fullest parent that a lace curfain would be sympathy and aid extended to our opaque beside it, would have excited family at the time of the suddendeath the scorn and disgust of her sex. To who shall be the most expert in the art of heightening the effect of exposure-by a shadow of concealment.—N.

Fruit and the Voice. By ordering his patients to eat hearty of Jertani, fruits and forbidding touch others at all. Dr. Nadal one of Paris' most famous scientists, breating the throats of the great opera singers. There is no medicine at all in his treatment. In some cases he adds nothing to the patient's diet and, secures results by forbidding them to eat apples and pears. According to Dr. Nadal an apple or pear each day is enough to keep the sensitive. when he talks he says something. Try
selence for a change, it builds up a
wonderful reserve force in your physical organization, and small. These, instead of being white thin, like a tendon, become red and awollen with congestion of blood. The quality of the voice is impaired.

Not in the Succession. The young pastor was examining the Sunday school and asked the class ust in front of him if any of thou could tell anything about the Apostle Come up here, my little lady, said

the minister. "I am much gratified to see that you have remembered your lesson. Now, tell the school what you know about Peter." The little girl was quite willing, and ommenced:

"Peter, Peter, pumpkin exter But they never heard where he put her, on account of the general uproar.

-Congregationalist. What Did He Say?

"Young Joillem always says the fight thing, doesn't he? He never seems at loss for the proper reply." "Miss Keene asked him if he

Importance. "What makes you regard your proper as a thing of so much imporance?" asked the somewhat cynical

"The eagerness of so many, people to get some of it away from me," answered Mr. Dustin Stax.

No Postry in His Business "Does it not throw a shade of bitter ness into your heart," said the poetic youth, "to see the trees all leafless and to hear the wind sighing in mournful monotony? Does it not make you feel that there is too much that is bleak in the world?" "No." answered the practical youth

"It does not." "Why?" auso my father is in the cos business."—Stray Stroles.

PRESENTS

During the sale my stock of Cut Glass and Silver was pretty well cleaned out, so ordered a New Stock, not only in staple goods, such as 1835 R. WALLACE SILVER

but other well known brands. as well.

I did not forget to order new things in Cut Glass and the larger pieces of Silver, so you will find many things

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what shall it be?" Ouestion.

This store is prepared to answer it

l'he occasion may be what it willt's our duty to be ready to supply you, and we can do it, too,

With pleasure to you because of the size of our display. With profit to you because of our ability to sell

When the gift question presents itself, let us show you how easily w an match your ideas. 😁

Watchmaker and Jeweler

Sixpences on a Tombatone. Sunday morning 21 old widows of the parish of St. Bartholomew, West Smithfield, went to the churchyard at the close of the morning service to pick up the slapences which are annually deposited on the tombstone of a parishioner who died several cen

turies ago.

The origin of the custom dates back to Saxon times, and it was revived some years ago by Mr. Butterwick. The little graveyard is issed severa feet above the level of the pathway and to mount to this eminence the elderly dames are assisted up a step-ladder lodged against the stone coping of the wall.—London Daily Chronicle

The One Drawback . It would be comparatively establish a universal brother men if nobody ever found it neces

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TO

Saturday February 19th.

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Everything in our stock is Bright, New, Desirable.

Recepting in our stock is Bright, New, Desirable.

We solicit your patronage, and offer a stock entirely new and in overy respectivisticles. Our large fall trade reduped our stock to a low north, and during January and February our clearing sales made a clear low worth, and during January and February our clearing sales made a clear low weep, of all odds, ends and broken lots. After that we visited the leading markets, carefully selecting the choicest merchandise, and the feuit of our labors, the best stock in this Section are ready for your inspection, and we respectfully invite you to join us in our Grand Spring Opening. If you want to see the new things, you must come where they are.

You will find everything that is designable in our splendidly assorted stock. For months we have been studiously selecting the best things offered by

You will indice errything that is designate in our splendidly assorted stock. For months we have been studiously selecting the best things offered by traveling salesment and have also explored the leading markets for choice styles and exceptional values. We have succeeded beyond even our own expectations, and those of our customers who have inspected the new stock say that it is not only superior to any other in this locality but also excells.

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OF MEN'S FINE SHOES IN THE WORLD.

"SUPERIOR TO OTHER MAKES."
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Grayling Mercantile Co.

S DELICIOUS Otto-Hoag IMPORTING CO. Sell you a Stallon. Fresh importations arrived in October. Best Breeds Bost Individuals and Lovest Prices Royal Belgians, Percherons and Coachter a play of the Coachter and C for always on hand and sure to please you-eyery one guaranteed. We want few local salesmen and a man who can fit and show Hackneys.

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our money.
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For clean coal go to Bates.

A good house for sale. Enquire of

Mrs. S. S. Phelps, Sr. and Mrs. San

Phelps were in Bay City Tuesday.

at Simpson's store next Saturday. St. Charles coal, the best in the The business for which the January

Away with the dirty cup at the

school pump. For Hocking Valley Coal, none bet

Miss Lillie Meilstrup spent Sunday in Bay City.

Mrs. Rob't Roblin spent Sunday with Bay City friends. Bates sells coal strictly on its mer

its, and by weight.

H. Peterson was in Saginaw business the fore part of the week.

For sewing machines, the best in he market, and at the lowest pric call at the AVALANCHE office.

Mrs. A. Charron-and Miss Fra-Charron have returned from a visit at West Branch.

Beech and Maple Block Wood for furnaces. Leave orders with SALLING, HANSON COMPANY

Buy your coal of George Langevin You will get the best and at the right

Lillie Eastman celebrated her birthday Thursday by entertaining some of her-little friends.

I am in the market to purchase al the cattle hides in this section, at full market price, according to quality jan. 26-4t. P. J. Moshier

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Briggs of Roscommon were present at the Lincoln memorial meeting last Saturday

Be sure and see Brush, the Magician Feb. 28rd_ut_the Opera House. The An attack of the grip is often fo fifth entertainment of the Concert Course. Tickets 50 and 35 cents. Reserved seat sale begins Saturday Feb. 19th, at Lewis' Drug Store.

While it is often impossible to pro vent an accident, it is never impossible to be prepared it is not beyond any one's purse. Invest 25 cents in Chamberlain's Liminent and you are prepared for sprains, bruises and the injuries. Sold by all dealers.

'Phe-Ice Man is nearly through with his winter harvest, having put-upmore of the congealed fluid than eve before, and only being delayed at times by an excess of snow.

The Concert Course committee are endeavoring to secure a sixth enter tainment, and therefore request patrons holding season tickets to preserve the same for future use.

Do you know that croup ban be vented? Give Chamberlain's Cough pay and drop the cases the road has vented. Give Chamberlain's Cough 12.5 and grop the cases the road has Dress party given Saturday evening Remedy as soon as the child becomes started against the state. The matter by Miss Maragret Hanson at her appears and it will prevent the attack. appears and it will prevent the attack, let is also a certain cure for croup, and auditors March 10.

Lis also a certain cure for croup, and will be also been known to fail. Sold VThe Good Fellowship Club gave a by all dealers. by all dealers.

ian Fair just before Easter to buy there was a shooting contest and one work and fancy aprons, gingham and of swriting original valcitines. At the days we observe were represented.

The house hold goods of Malcolm McCloud are offered for sale. His for which the club is famous. failing health demands his being relieved from the care of a home.

The heating season is now on. Have one half of your fuel by having F. R. Deckrow install an up to date, steam or hot water system. He wants your patronage. Satisfaction guaranteed. Ask for an estimate.

pation, no appointe or feel bilious, give Chamberiain's Stomach and Liver Tablets a trial and you will be pleased with the result. These tablets road before they got here. The Vags,

Thave just received, from a New permits their being sent to the work York firm, a full line_of_Ladies_and house for 60 days for such offence in Childrens spring dress goods; and stead of boarding a few days at our summer allks. Will be very glad to comfortable jail., without work. bring me. Yours for business. Mrs. (A friend asks us to multiply \$5 b

The Episcopal Guild of Grayling

Shariff Amidon is hearding Arthur mulemarks should be used. A cent the ene of Beaver Creek, who is await as anoth is as allatinate unit as a doing examination for the description of the result is to be announced through three feet of anow west of the description of the rather that does not stop the sheriff when he is on the track.

Ohio, or Virginia Coal, go to Bates.

The Ladies Union will hold their GRAYLING, THURSDAY, FEB. 17 annual fair in the Opera House March

When you get tired burning Slack,

go to Bates and get Domestic Lump Coal. FOR SALE-My residence on Park St. on reasonable terms. Enquire of

Olson were held Sunday afternoon at

the family residence. Espern Olson who was called home by the death of his brother, returned

to Pontiac Tuesday. The Ladies Union will meet Friday Feb. 18th with Mrs. Chas. McCullough. Ladies of the congregation invited. Come prepared to work.

Mrs. W. J. Snively of Roscommon was in the village last-week the guest The Epworth League will sell candy of her daughters, Mrs. R. Richardson and Mrs. G. W. Heyl.

market, for sale by George Langevin. term of the Circuit Court was adjourn-Two houses to rent. Enquire at ed to Feb. 15th, not yet being ready for trial, the Court was adjourned without delay.

> Mrs. Anna J. Meilstrup has issued invitations for the marriage of her daughter, Anna Julia, to Thorwald W. Hanson, at the Danish church Tuesday evening, Feb. 22nd.

A few minutes delay in treating A few minutes delay in treating some cases of croup, even the length of time it takes to go for a doctor often proves dangerous. The safest way is to keep Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in the house, and at first indication of croup give the child a dose, Pleasant to take and always cures. Sold by all dealers.

Miss Nora Peterson, who is teaching at Johannesburg, spent Sunday with her parents Mr-and Mrs. Hans Peterson. She was accompanied by pupils, Miss Sunshir Franklin.

Report says that Game Warden Babbitt has been quite busy of late. finding persons appropriating meat and fish for their own use which the law says velours to the state at this seasou of the year.

N'St Valentine was greeted with an Saint of Love."

fellow fast asieep in the snow, and of the Show last year, there were over course drunk, a few nights since who seventy-five thousand people in atwould have certainly died if he had tendance, coming from all parts of not been rescued. As he did not be, the United States. ong here the court only charged him \$5.00 and he left the town.

lowed by a persistent compt, which to no guess about where he ought to be many proves a great annoyance and where he will go when he leaves. Chamberlain, Cough Remedy has been extensivly used and will good here. The milk of human kindness been extensivly used and will good here. The milk of human kindness success ter the relief and cure of this cough. Many cases have been cured after all other remedies had failed.

found to be stranded on the coast off from Long Island, and for which escape from thralldom. He is too fourteen U.S. vessels are searching: as one of its seamen "Cleveland Irvin," whose home-ad dress on the boats log, is Judge Crawford Co, Michigan Who know

The big suit between the Michigan Central railroad and the state may be ment strife, run discord, and bring settled out of court as the railroad has being \$125,000, which the calload is to V One of the most enjoyable parties made a proposition, the settling basis

NOTICE-Wait for the Presbyter- Geo. Alexander Monday evening, campric skirts, embroidered, sets, the banquet table the guests found. The spacious rooms were very artist-crash towels and many other useful between their sandwiches, slips tells ically decorated with hearts and articles. tug their fortunes for the future. It was one of those delightful parties music was furnished by Phelp's.

Simplicity is to be the slogan of These are bargains. Enquire of his Adrian high school's next graduation daughter, Mrs. D. Eastman at the late class for the girls of '10' have adopted residence of H. Trumley. a resolution fixing on simple white for all functions pertaining to commenc ment. Pach young lady is limited t

one whife gown, and is pledged to Prizes were won by Mesdames Olaf wear no hat at the baccalaureate ex. Mickelson and Frank Phelps, and Mr. wear no hat at the baccalaureate exercises, the event at which the mil- Sigwald Hanson. linery displays were wont to be,

This is not a "Dry County", but If troubled with indigestion, consti- only three drunks were arrested here invicorate the stomach and liver and Rrunks and tramps, who have infested strengthen the digestion. Sold by this section of the state, do not have a fond love for the new

\$5. We do so, and announce the result as \$25. now multiply 500 cents The Episcopal Guild of Grayling give in surface as the will give a Wasington Tea at the home of Mrs. H. H. Merriman Saturdian We do and an surprised to gright. Support twenty-five cents in equiple or fifteen cents for one person come and bring year friends.

Sheriff Amidon is bearding Arthur malemarks should be used. A cent.

If you want the best Michigan, V Mr. and Mrs. Otto Roeser entertained the Married Peoples Card Club Tuesday evening. The rooms were very appropriatly decorated for Valentine day. After the card games, at which, Mrs. A. Smith and Mrs. Sam Phelps, Alfred Olson and Frank Phelps carried off the honors, and an elaborate banquet had been served. the U. S. mail arrived and the postmaster and letter carriers distributed valentines, causing a great deal of

> VMr. and Mrs. James Ballard arrived here Saturday morning, called on account of the serious illness of his mother. Mr. Ballard is now located at West Allis, Wis., a tew miles from Milwaukee, a hustling manufacturing place of 8,000 inhabitants. He has obtained control of the West Allis Independent, in both its mechanical and editorial departments, where his friends are confident he will make and win success.

A "blue book," privately circulated mong commission men in New York, explains, without adjectives, the reason of the high price of food. Two words sum up our difficulties cold storage: Think of 14,000,000 cattle 6,000,000 calves, 25,000,000 sheep and 60,000,000 hogs, with eggs, fish, fruit and other stuffs, which make the aggregate of value \$3,000,000,000, buried away by tricksters, whose hearts are like the ice that does their wintry work.

Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Olson arrived home on the early train Sunday morn ing, their outting being shortened for a week or more by the death of their baby boy, last week. Previous to receiving the sad inteligence, which reached them at Monroe, La., they had enjoyed the pleasant weather of at the annual Mardi Gras festival a New Orleans. The home coming was filled with sadness, but their grief was sympathy of the many friends who Concrete is now used in the con-

struction of bee-hives, hog-houses. Panama Canals and in-making collar buttons, to say nothing of street paveideal winter day, but followed Tues with such an extraordinary scoops, the Third Annual Cement Show, Chicago, manner, said to be tipical of the lives February 18-26, should have some the guidance of this so called "Patron Beneath the sun. There will be over three hundred exhibits of cement Village Marshall Stanuard found a products of various descriptions. At

The man-who can see no good in his fellow-man ought to fall off the -earth and go to his place. There is ms become perverted, his eyes inverted and his whole moral being turned ıway. He hás-lost-confidence in hien, The U.S. Steam tur. Nina, which has to real respect for women, looks on God as a tivant-and death as an

> <u>_cowardly__to__destroy</u> himself, too abject to be honorable—too-surell-intellectually to bother about the temptible to be noticed and too apt to live out all his days. Such men may be classed the "gad flies of life." calculated to annoy-their betters, fo

misery on mankind.

of the winter was the Fancy quest was requested to represent some Washington and the Puritan maids were there with St. Patrick and Thanksgiving days, and nearly all of ically decorated with hearts and at one o'clock in the afternoon at the lots of the Court House, in the lots of the Cut Glass that is supported was furnished by Phelp's Village of Grayling in said county, to be of high quality.

Orchestra, Hearts was the game of lowing discribed real estate, to with Hut if you would like to look at the court House, and later the gentlemen of the court House, and the court House, vening and later the gentlemen tried their skill, with the bow and arrow, peircing hearts that were hanging about, on the backs of which was the name of the one whom they were to have as their lady at the very elaborata banquet which was serve

This contractor got results. Some years ago a contractor build-

ing a railroad in a warm climate was troubled a great deal by sickness among the laborers.

He turned his attention at once to their food and found that they were getting full rations of meat and were drinking water from a stream near by. He issued orders to cut down the amount of meat and to increase greatly the quantity of Quaker Oats fed to the

He also boiled Quaker Oats and mixed the thin oatmeal water with their drinking water. Almost instantly all signs of stomach disorders passed and his night showed a decided improverment in strength and spirits. This contractor had experience that taught him the great value of good calmeat.

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Probatc_Notice,

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford In the matter of the estate of Fred

Hoeslie, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that, by wittue of an order of said court, made on the fifteenth day of February A. D. 1910. I shall sell, at public auction. on the second day of April A. D. 1910. The northeast quarter of section fwenty-six, in township twenty-seven, north of range two west.

Dated this 15th day of February

A. D. 1910, HUGO SOHREIBER

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Probate Notice. STATE OF MIGHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford

At a session of said court, held at the probate office; in the Village of Grayling, in said county, on the 14th day of February A. D. 1910.

Present: Hon. Wellington Batterson.
Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Fred Shots deceased.

Laura Wallace having filed in said court her netition unraise.

Laura Wallace having filed in said court her petition praying that said court her petition praying that said court adjudicate and determine who were at the time of his death the legal heirs of said deceased and eptitled to inherit the real estate of which said deceased died seized.

It is ordered, that the 17th day of March A. D. 1910, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for, hearing said petition.

It is further, ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day.

Preshyterian Church.

Sunday, Feb. 20, 1910, Mid week prayer meeting will be held at the church Thursday eye, at.

7:30 p. m.

Preaching service at 10:30 a. m.

Sabbath School at 11:45 a. m. A. B.

Failing, Supt.

of hearing, in the CRAWFORD AVA-LANCHE a newspaper printed and cir-culated in said county.

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SUMMARY OF THE MOST IMPORTANT NEWS.

Sunday.

Canada resented the early publication of new fisheries rules... The German police and Socialists

clashed; many were wounded; sabers Admiral Evans said that railroads will do their utmost to kill the Panama

Canal commercially. A New York preacher says that city is a graveyard for the clergy; congre-

gations will not help in the work. England heard that Asquith has vielded to the extremists and will pre-

sent the veto bill before the budget. Declaring that Americans seeking to dam the St. Lawrence furnished no detailed plans, Ontario's premier opposed a permit to any firm backed by U. S canitalists.

Monday. The King of Sweden was operated on for appendicitis.

Mrs. Lavender, of Chicago, has filed 8. \$25,000 slander suit, naming Rev. W. E. Tilroe. The Federal incorporation bill, in-

troduced into Congress, is likely not to be passed at this session. Strychnine formed part of much medicine taken by Colonel Swope, his nurse testified at the inquest in Kan-

sas City. Tuesday. The Senate adopted a resolution to take_up_an_investigation_of_the_cost

of living New and startling testimony given at the inquest into the death of

Colonel Swope at Independence, Mo. Commander Peary announced his willingness to head an expedition to the south pole, and gave \$10,000 to start

The report of the investigation of the Hocking pool said that some firms merit "severe condemnation" but nothing more drastic was recommended.

Wednesday.

Federal jobs in Illinois were held up by deadlock between Senators Cullom and Lorimer.

Dr. Mary E. Green, famed for her to become a member of the medical profession, died in Seattle, aged 66

A house-bill in Washington provides appropriations of \$13.000,000 for improvements of waterways in Mississip-

The coroner's jury named Dr. Hyde as the slayer of Col. Thomas H. Swope, but was unable to say whether the pol son was given with felonious intent.

Thursday.

The insurgent Gen. Chamorro with 1.200 men occupied Matalpa. Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., will marry Eleanor Butler Alexander,

New York

sas City-charged with the murder by city, including many specials, brought Thomas H. Swope. ate passed the direct plurality primary largest on record. The pageant and bill and seven other important meas-

The Manitoba legislature will pass a bill for government and municipal owned markets and stockvards, and a measure for federal possession of grain elevators.

John Redmond said he thinks Pro mier Asquith will keep his word, but that nothing less than home rule will secure the support of the Trish party to the British budget.

Friday. Kansas City.

Charles E. Wiltshire, Chicago glove manufacturer, was stabled to death in a fight for life.

bid the export of any water power to the United States. A New York woman got a \$75,000

verdict against Laura Biggar, forme actress, in an alienation suit. One hundred and fifty-six lives wer

eral Chanzy sank after striking the reefs of the Island of Minorc

Saturday.

Zalmon G. Simmons, multimillionat Kenosha, Wis.

Eighty-eight persons were drowned in the wreck of a steamer in the Straits of Magellan. President Taft in a vehement speech

in New York declared that business i it is legal is safe, but that the law will be enforced and that the Republicar pledges are being kept.

Booker T. Washington in a Lincoln tribute at Springfield, Ill., said the colored race is worth \$550,000,000. Announcement was made-in New York of the engagement of Miss Elea-

nor Robson and August Belmont. John Temple Graves at a banquet of the Lincoln League urged making

the State of Lincoln from New Mexico. The Central Foundry Company, a \$14.000.000 corporation, was placed in receiver's hands, with liabilities of \$4,561,000.

Since the authorities of the Catholic Church at Rome approved the creation of two new dioceses in the Northwest, of Crookston, Minn., and Bismarck, N. D., there are four vacant hishoprics in the Catholic Courch in Northwest. Bishops must be an-

those of Windna, Minn., and Lead, S. D. One seaman was injured and a number, of others narrowly escaped when the hydrogen gas of a storage battery ernioded aboard the submarine boat at the Charlestown (Mass.) wy yard.

HIGH MEAT-PRICES

Sovernment Report Shows Live Stock Receipts of 1909 Smallest Since 1904.

GREATEST DECLINE IN HOGS

Last Year's Aggregate Meat Ship ments from Chicago Is the Lowest in Five Years.

One contributing cause to the high price of meat, according to a report of the Department of Commerce and Department of Commerce and Labor, is the fact that live stock receipts for the year 1909 at seven leading interior markets of the United States were the lowest since 1904.. The live stock receipts for the year 1909 in these markets aggregated 69.545.725 head. The receipts of hogs for the ast-year-fell-off-particularly. For each of the four years previous to 1909 the hog receipts had been in excess of 19,000,000 head, totaling more than 22,000,000 in 1908, falling to 18,834,641 last year.

Cattle receipts for 1909 in these markets, 9,189,312, while comparing favor-ably with those of the previous year, fell below the totals for the three years before 1908. Sheep fell below those in 1905 to 1907, but compared favorably with 1908. Receipts of hogs at the Chicago market for 1909 show a decrease of 1,627,074, as compared with the year before, or a decline of 19 per cent, receipts at Kansas City decreased 17 per cent, receipts at Omaha 12 per ent, at St. Joseph 28 per cent, while the decline at St. Louis was only 4

ceived at these seven principal mar- seats in the chair car and rode quietly kets was larger than the year before. the 1909 cattle receipts at Chicago, 2, 929,805 head, fell below the 3,000,000 seats, backed Conductor Garrity into mark for the first time since 1902,

The annual aggregate shipments of acking house products from Chicago, 2,151,663,713 pounds, were below those reported for any of the previous five years, says the report. All the items in the grand total with the exception of pickled beef and pork show large declines, as compared with the figures for the previous years.

The report also shows that grain receipts at fifteen of the principal mar kets during 1909, 744,624,068 bushels were lower than for any year sinc

KING REX RULES NEW ORLEANS.

Mardi Gras Festivities at Height Under Carnival Monarch's Sway.

Hailing "Rex. King of the Carnival." New Orleans the other day approached the climax of Mardi Gras festivities. The siren of river craft and the cheerthe approaching monarch, as he came up the Mississippi river and landed from his royal yacht. The formality of turning over the keys of the city Dr. B. C. Hyde was arrested at Kan. to him followed. Every train into the dreds of visitors. In a burst of speed the Illinois Sen- that the Mardi Gras attendance is the -ball-of-Proteus-took place at night. The next day the parade and ball of Rex was given, followed at night by the pageant and ball of Comus.

FAITHFUL DOG BARES SUICIDE.

Youth Found Dead Asks That Letters Be Buried with Him. Harry Hill, aged 19 years, son of the chairman of the County Board of Su pervisors, disappeared from his home near Hastings, Neb. Nearly a week afterward the actions of his pet shep-The Grand Jury was ready to investment to follow the whining animal to a strawstack on their farm. Partly under the hay and nearly covered with snow, she found the body of her son, who had committed suicide by in haling chloroform. A letter directed The Canadian government may for. that letters from his sweetheart be buried with him. Her parents object ed to his attentions, and this is sup posed to have caused him to take his

SAWMILL EXPLOSION KILLS SIX

to Men Waiting for Work Call. While a score of workmen were warming themselves in the boiler room of Princing's sawmill at Crump, Mich. waiting for the whistle to start th aire, financier and philanthropist, died day's work, the boiler exploded, injuring all the others. The mill was wrocked, debris being scattered 100 feet in every direction. It is believed that cold water was forced into the

86.000 IN MISER'S STOCKINGS.

boller when the water was low, causing

an excess of steam.

Woman Who Lives in Poverty Found While pretending to be poor, Mrs. Emily A. Carmen of Bradner, O., worth about \$40,000, was found in condition in her hut. When her stockings were removed at the direction of a doctor, more than \$6,000 in money and gild-edged securities fell out. The inventory of the estate, which has been filed, includes two farms worth about \$30.000. cash \$3.643. diamonds \$600 and other property \$1,200.

BIG FOUR TO BUILD BIG SHOPS Railroad Now Has Investment of

,000 in One Indiana Town. Car shops, to cost more than \$1. 000,000, are to be built by the Big Four Railroad at Beech Grove, near Indianapolis, according to an announcement by William Garstang perintendent of motive power. Twelve buildings are planned and they will be ready for occupancy within a year. The erection of the shops will bring the amount invested by the Big Four

IS BARRED PROM VATICAN.

Charles W. Fairbanks Fails to Visit

Pope After Delicate Intimation. The visity to Rome of Charles W Fairbanks, former Vice President of he United States, brought about a very delicate situation, owing to the fact that he wished to pay his respects to the King, the Pope and the American Methodist church. By a tactful arrangement 'Mr. Fairbanks' audience with King Victor Emmanuel was fixed for one day, and that with the Pope for two days later, and when everything seemed satisfactorily planned the Vatican suddenly announced that it would be impossible for His Holiness receive the former Vice President if he carried out his announced intention to speak in the American Meth odist church there, because the Meth odists had been active in proselyting mong the Catholics.

Negotiations were immediately begun with a view to avoiding any unpleasantness, and a situation which in these negotiations prominent Vatican officials exerted every influence to remove the difficulties which had so unexpectedly presented themselves to-Mr. Fairbanks' audience with the Pope But Mr. Fairbanks finally declared that, although he was animated by a strong desire to pay his respects to he head of the Catholic church, whose followers had played such an imporant part as good American citizens, e could not withdraw from his promise to deliver an address before the

ROBBERS HOLD UP TRAIN.

Three Men Commit Bold Robbery on the Missouri Pacific. Three unidentified men held up and

robbed the passengers on an eastbound Missouri Pacific passenger frain five miles east of Pittsburg, Kan, the other night. They were unmasked. About \$400 and a small amount of lewelry was taken from the passengers.

The robbers boarded the train on While the total number of cattle red the outskirts of Pittsburg. They took long until the train was near Cornell, There they leaned from their Kan. corner and drawing revolvers warn ed him not to call for assistance. One of the robbers then covered the pas engers with two large revolvers. "You will now prepare to give up your valuables," he said. -"My-partner-hero will pass among you. Please Je quiet. gunny sack and started on his collect From each passenger us

WARRINER NOT BELIEVED.

into the sack.

took everything of value. Money,

, diamonds and rings all went

Disagreement in Ford Trial Shows Eight Jurors Voted for Acquittal. After twenty-four hours' deliberation the jury in the case of Mrs. Jeannette Stewart Ford, charged with blackmaling Charles L. Warriner, defaulting treasurer of the Blg Four Railroad, was unable to reach an agreement and was discharged in Cincinnati. Judge Swing stated after he dismissed the on the last ballot eight jurors had stood for accenittal and four for conviction. The unexpected end to the case was explained by two of the jurymen as due to the fact that a majority of their colleagues refused to give any credit to the testimony of Warriner They asserted that a man who had confessed embezzling for twenty-five years would not hesitate to perjure himself against a woman whom he believed to have been the cause of his



Germany and Prussia have asked for of \$120,000,000 on 4 per ent government bonds.

The new Catholic cathedral in St. Paul will be occupied for public services before the end of the year 1911. Arabs recently raided nine convents near Jerusalem, evicted the nuns and monks and established themselves in the monusteries with their wives and children. Troops arrived in time to prevent their entering the tenth and argest convent.

The first Canadian conservation con ference, which came to an end in Ottawa recently, has developed a senti-ment in favor of the prohibition of all pulp-wood-export. This may have-a serious effect on the situation now ex-

With the giving of ball of the five men caught in the dragnet of the latest graft probe, Pittsburg has settled back to wait for her municipal government to again be dragged forth and hear evidence charging multi-million aire bank officials with bribery, city councilmen selling out the city and sec the strange intermingling of her local banking business with politics.

There is a proposal in London. Eng.

railways, namely, the Baker Street & Waterioo, the Charing Cross & Hamp-stead and the Great Northern & Pica-dilly lines. The total capital will be \$80,000,000, of which \$47,250,000 is to be in ordinary stock, \$21,000,000 in debentures and the balance in preference shares. The name of the new company will be the London Electric Railway
The non-Christian population of the world was converted at the rate of 377 souls a day during the past year, according to the summarized statistics of workers from virtually every mis-sion field on the globe, who addressed the convention of the laymen's mis-

sionary movement in New York The Spanish cabinet removed Count de Villar as captain general of Magrid and caused the arrest of army officers charged with being connected with a plot against the government. The po-lica surrounded the military club and ighty of the officers were taken into the amount invested by the Big Four custody. On the same day 2,000 workst Beech Grove to about \$3,000,600, men in the arsenal struck.

SHIP SINKS, 156 DIE **NEAR MINORGA REEFS**

The Trans-Atlantic Liner General Chanzy is Wrecked in the Mediterranean.

ONLY ONE PERSON ESCAPES.

French Steamer Helpless in Wors Storm in Years-No Americans Aboard.

Driven helplessly from her course swept the Mediterranean Sea in forty. years, the French Trans-Atlantic Steamship Company's steamer General Chanzy crashed at full speed, in the dead of night, on the treacherous reefs near the Island of Minorca, and all but one of the 157 souls on board perished. v

The sole survivor is an Algerian customs official, Marcel Rodel, who was rescued by a fisherman and who lies in the hospital at Ciudadela raving as a result of the tortures through which he passed and is unable to give an ac count of the disaster.

In the ship's company there were eighty-seven passengers, of whom thirty were in the first cabin. The crew numbered , seventy. It is not thought that any Americans were on board the liner. The ship was in command of Captain Cayol, one of the most careful officers of the line. In his long experience he had never before met with an accident. He had intended to retire from the service in the near future.

The passengers of the Chanzy were mostly French officers and officials returning to their posts in Algeria, ac companied by their wives and children; a few soldiers, some Italians and Turks and one priest. The only and Turks and one priest. Angle-Saxon names on the passenger list were Green and Stakely. They were members of an opera troupe of leven which had been engaged to sing at the Casino in Algiers.

The Chanzy is a total wreck. Among the yictims was the celebrated Parisian music hall singer, Francis as well as other prominent music hall gar, tea, spices and soda crackers have

The General Chanzy struck at 9:00 o'clock at night after Captain Cayol, with all his experience, had been unable to cope with the tempest of almost unprecedented violence. Other ships in the neighborhood had safely ridden-out the storm, but the Chahzy fell prey to the elements, was lifted off her course through the Balearic archipelago and brought up on the coast of Minorea in the vicinity of Ciudadela. Fishermen at daybreak picked up Rodel clinging to a piece of

The French consul at Ciudadela re norts that large numbers of bodies are floating at sea, but that the storm con tinues, making impossible their re very. The hull of the steamer is saidto-bear evidence that an explosion probably of the boilers, occurred.

\$1 FOR "CHEAP" BROOM SOON.

Three Times Normal Price Offeres for Factory Material Housewives may within a few months be compelled to pay a dollar for an ordinary broom, is the discour aging prediction of the large manufac turers of this commodity in southern Indiana. Evansville factories are renorted to be offering three times the normal price for broom corn and finding it an extremely scarce article even at that figure:

BLAZE ROUTS HOTEL GUESTS.

Windows in Washington. Fire in the Hotel Harris near the Union station in Washington, at 2 o'clock in the morning threw the hundred_guests_into_a_panic._ Three_ofthem, Orville A. Henry of Berwick, Pa., and his wife, and child, leaped from a third story window. They are in the

SEVEN MILLED IN CAR

loss amounted to about \$5,000

Casualty hospital seriously injured

The origin of the fire is unknown. The

Motorman Runs Too Close to Dyn Heedless of the warning of a fore

tions along the line of the private Copper mines in Arizona, the motor man of a gasoline car ran in close to a sputtering fuse of a heavy charge of dynamite, and the car and its seven occupants were blown to atoms.

Falls Dead in Court Room

As the cases of John J. Kenne. P . Needham and T. T. O'Leary, the insurance solicitors charged with conspiracy to defraud life insurance com nanies were called in the nolice court in Louisville, George D. Sparks, a read estate dealer, fell dead in the court

GIM Kills Self Over Dress After a disagreement with her mother over the purchase of a dress patern, Cora Brown, 16 years old, the daughter of a farmer, strangled herelf to death in the Brown home near Hot Springs, Ark.

Negress Best Pupil in 10,000 Estelle E. Gibbs. a negress, 14 years old, has received the first prize, a gold medal, at the graduating exercises of the Hoboken, N. J., public school pupils. She had the highest o any public school pupil in the city-99 1.3 per cent in six subjects.

Freezes on Club Veranda, Michael Geary was found frozen to death on the veranda of the Apawamis Club near Post Chester, one of the best known golf clubs in the country, by Sydney Lawton, president of the club.

THEODORE. JR., TO WED.

Oldest Son of Pormer President Engaged to Miss Eleanor Alexander. Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., oldest son

of the former President of the United States, has won the hand of Miss Elea nor Butler Alexander, daughter of Mrs Henry Addison Alexander of 42 West Forty-seventh street, New York. Their betrothal was announced by the mother of the bride-to-be. The wedding, which is to be celebrated on an elaborate scale, will be deferred until the arrival in America of the bridegroom's father next June.

The announcement came as a surprise to even the close friends of the couple, for recently young Mr. Roose velt has been attending strictly to busi ness and so he has had small opportun ity for those social excursions in which he might meet the young lady.

"Teddy Junior," as his friends call him, is slightly more than 22 years of in-one of the wildest storms that has age. Since he was graduated from Harvard in 1908, taking the four years' course in three and graduating with high standing, he has been at work in the factories of the Hartford Carpet Company at Thompsonville, Conn., just outside the State capital. He has been thorough and diligent in his work and his trips to New York have been few and far between.

REPORT SHOWS PRICE JUMP.

Climb Since 1899 Indicated by Government Experts...

That there has been a general inerease in wholesale and retail prices of food between the years 1899 and 1908 is indicated by a report sent to the Senate by the Department of Com merce and Labor in response to a reso lution, introduced by Senator Craw ford of South Dakota calling for the trend of prices. For purposes of comparison the prices in 1899 are used as normal, and the percentages of inreases were about as follows:

Bread—Wholesale, 25.1.; retail, 4.9.
Butters—Wholesale, Eigin, 20.8.; creameery extra, 27.5. dairy, 24.6; retail, 30.0,
no quality indicated.
Cheese—Wholesale, 26.9; retail, 20.3.,
Coffee—Wholesale, 3.9; retail, 5.
Eggs—New laid, wholesale, 39.8; retail, 36.2.

36.2. Wheat flour—Wholesale, spring, 43.6; winter, 26.8; retail, 24.4; no quality indicated. d. Wholesale, 63.3; retail, 38.2. f—Wholesale, fresh, 11.8; salt, 41.9; fresh, 14.9; salt, 10.6, ssed nutton—Wholesale, 21.4; re-

III. 26:8.

Bacon—Wholesala, 54:5; retail, 52.9;

Ham—Wholesale, 21.9; retail, 31.8;

Milk—Wholesale, 30:; retail, 18.1;

Potatoes—Wholesale, 70:3; retail, 21.

The repert shows that prices on een-slightly reduced.

LAKE DOMESTIC COMMERCE. Tonpaga, in 1909 About 2,500,000 Below That of 1907.

Domestic commerce on the great akes during the calendar year of 1990 aggregated 80,974,605 tons of freight. This tonnage, while about one-third larger than (for the year before, is about two and one-half millions below the tonnage for 1907, the largest total in the history of the lake trade, according to a report by the Depart ment of Commerce and Labor. Of the total, 44,087,071 net tons are credited; to ports of Lake Superior, 14,120,029 o ports of Lake Michigan, 1,510,879 net tons to Lake Huron ports, 18,699, -221-tons-to-Lake-Erie ports, and 535. 943 tons to Lake Ontario ports. In the case of Lake Superior and Lake Michigan the bulk of the shipments were iron ore and grain.

OPERATE ON KING GUSTAVE.

Swedish Monarch Submits to Drastic Remedy for Appendicitis.

King Gustave of Sweden was oper ated on in Stockholm for appendicitis. The official reports given out state that the operation was a success. The King had been suffering from continual in-nernal pains. It was not for several hours that the physicians diagnosed his case as one of appendicitis, requir- tion to Sweden, died suddenly in Brixing an immediate operation. The physicians first diagnosed the King's illas catarrh of the stor the matter was taken with such little seriousness that several members of the royal family attended a concert At 10 o'clock they were all summoned to return to the palace, where they were apprised of the physicians in tention to operate on his majesty.

TRADE AND INDUSTRY.

Charles Guerney, of Red Cloud, Neb., sold \$9,240 worth of cattle in one day. He says he fattened a large herd of attle on alfalfa, sold \$300 worth of hay nd_has_500_tons_left.

-Corl-I-Calvin-I-ancaster who-was graduated from the University of Wis-consin department of civil engineering n '06, has been made chief engineer was fixed at a conference between rep. New York—Cattle, \$4.00 to \$6.80; of the Consumers' Iron Mining Co. of resentatives of the company and coun. hobs, \$4.00 to \$8.50; sheep. \$2.00 to Virginia.

A lad near Waverly, Mo.; sold \$280 worth of sheep, the product of one ew lamb given him several years ago. He sold his wool to buy another ewe, sold the buck lambs, bought more ewes and leveloped a large flock.

John Kurtz, a farmer in Colorado with a shotgun and two dogs stood off 100 men and teams of the railroad grading outfits which attempted to ge through his crops without paying for them. He forced the railroad company to settle.

The principal speaker at the recent innual meeting of the Moorhead, Minn. Commercial Club was President Hunnade a strong plea for the club to get busy after cars to move the potato crop. He said that no less than 1,300 refrigerator cars would be needed to nove the crop from that vicinity. He would mean \$260,000 to be distributed n the vicinity.

the plans of William Burke, a wealthy resident of Witoka, Minn., materialize. La Crosse, Wis., may be the terminal point for a new interurba lages of Southern Minnesota, which now practically without railroad

An increase of 5 cents a hundred ounds on first-class freight from No York to Chicago by Jake and rail has been agreed upon. All lines are said to have agreed to the raise except the Grand Trunk Railway, 'It is said that this line to induce it to join in the measure.

SWOPE WAS POISONED

Coroner's Jurors Say Death Was Caused by Capsule Given by Hyde.

EXPRESS DOUBT OF INTENT.

Verdict Follows Testimony Given by Nurse of Deceased Kansas City Capitalist.

Colonel Thomas H. Swope came to his death by reason of strychnine administered in a capsule by Dr. B. C. Hyde, husband of the millionaire's coroner's jury in Independence, Mo. it was unable to determine. The jury is regarded as temporary. Weather The greater part of this time was deballot was necessary to agree upon a

With the testimony of Miss Pearl-Swope and of Dr. Frank Hall in the inquest over the body of Colonel Swope in Independence, Mo., came developments in the mystery of the million aire's death more startling than any

facts heretofore produced. Miss Keller's detailed story of the last moments of Colonel Swope's life; replete with features of happenings in the Swope household, produced a sensation. Miss Keller testified that im-mediately following the death of Colonel Thomas Moss Hunton, Dr. B. C. Hyde asked her to use her influence with Colonel Swope to have him appointed-administrator of the Swope es tate. Mr. Hunton had been the ad

ministrator. On the morning of Colonel Swone's eath, the nurse said, she gave him a three-grain capsule, supposed to con-tain dyspepsia medicine. This she did at the direction of Dr. Hyde. Twenty minutes later Colonel Swope was in a convulsion. His death soon followed Five fninutes after Colonel Swone's death, according to the witness, Dr. Hyde_appeared_and_with_Attorney John G. Paxton, secured Colonel Swope's will from his vest pocket. Dr. Hektoen testified that one-sixth

of a grain of strychnine was found in one-seventh part of Colonel Swope's liver. He believed there might be a grain in the entire organ grain would cause death.

JOHN L. TAKES A NEW BRIDE.

Former Champion Quietly Weds Sweetheart of His Boyhood. John L. Sullivan, former heavyweight champion of the world, was married the other afternoon at the Harkins of 285 Roxbury street by Fred Ingalls, clerk of the Municipal Court Only a few intimate friends of the couple were present. For months, it \$4.00 to \$8.00; hogs, prime heavy, \$4.50 has been rumored that "The Big Fgl. to \$8.85; sheep, fair to choice, \$4.50 low" was to take unto himself and to \$6.50; wheat, No. 2, \$1.21 to \$1.241 other wife, having gained a divorce from his first wife in Chicago last that only a small number of friends were aware when the knot was to be

Death Takes Bomb Suspect -Prof. Martin Ekenburg, the Swedish scientist, who, on being arrested in London last fall charged with complicity in several bomb outrages in but was later committed for extraditon fail. The cause of his death is officially attributed to apoplexy.

tied.

Two-Cent Railroad Fare Loses. Temporary injunctions were formald in the United States Circuit Court in St. Louis against the State of Oklahoma and the Oklahoma Corporation Commission, restraining them from further enforcement of the 2-cent assenger fare and certain \railroad reight rates.

Sugar_Men_to Pay \$600.000. Six hundred thousand dollars is the mount the National Sugar Refining Company will pay the government as restitution for back duties for the un derweighing of sugar. The amount

el for the government

Woman Rescues Three Children Her head wrapped in a man's coat her bonnet ablaze, and turee small children clasped in her arms, Mrs. So: mon Klein rushed from the deorwa of a blazing tenement in Cleveland She had gone into the building to sav the children.

Labor Chief Burns Dies. Simon Burns, former president of the Window Glass Workers of America and one of the best-known labor lead-Side Hospital in Pittsburg, aged 56

Nebraska Bank Is Robbed. The bank of Memphis, Neb., was rob hed and all the cash in the vaults se cured. The amount taken has not yet been ascertained, but it ran into the

thousands of dollars.

Boston Has \$30,000 Fire Fire that broke out in the financial district of Boston, caused general slarm and did \$30,000 damage. The seven-story Richards Building at 114 State street was badly damaged. In-tense cold and a gale, made the fre-men's work difficult.

70 Kills Family of Pive. William Ruckheim, & farmer livin four miles from Parker's Prairie Minn, shot and kulled his wife and four children and then shot himself.

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CHICAGO

R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of Chicago trade says:

"The usual tests of trade activity indicate that favorable conditions pre vail. Commercial defaults still show largely in number, but the record in cludes none of especial significance as-

to liabilities.
"The volume of solvent payments through the banks compares favorably with that of a year ago, testifying to sustained recovery in the leading industries, but the aggregate of new demands for finished factory products is lower than recently noted and the markets for iron and steel are in a waitniece, according to the verdict of the ing attitude pending the action of heavy consumers. Future require-Whether the drug was administered ments are known to be unusually large with felonious intent the jury declared and the present lull in commitments was out but a little more than an hour. conditions have favored most branches; of production and distribution and tesvoted to discussing the case. But one timony to improvement is seen in the steadily rising freight tonnage and railroad earnings.

"Movements of hides, leather and Keller, a nurso; of Dr. Ludwig Hekton of Chicago, of Mrs. Logan H. and the markets for raw materials, general merchandise, furniture and automobiles are stimulated by an enormous attendance of buyers.

"Bank clearings, \$259,067,099, are 25.1 per cent over those of the corresponding week of five business days in 1909, and compare with \$201,416,856 in

"Failures reported in the Chicago district number 33, as against 35 last week, 23 in 1909 and 33 in 1908. Those with liabilities over \$5,000 number 7. ns against 7 last week, 6 in 1909-and 16 in 1908."

NEW YORK.

Trade still maintains the guiet undertone previously noted, and not unusual, by the way, at this season of the year, when buyers are gathering at the leading markets in preparation for the opening of the spring campaign.

Reports of buyers being numerous but of buying being conservative come largely from the leading northern and central western markets. Fears of a have led to heavy buying by railroads

-and-manufacturors, Business failures in the United States for the week ending Feb. 10 were 249, as against 232 last week, 211 in the like week of of 1909, 326 in 1908, 204 in 1907 and 208 in 1906 Business fallures in Canada for the week numbered 33, which compares with 30 last week and 29 for the same

week last year.—Bradstreet's.

Chicago-Cattle, common to prime \$4.00 to \$8.00; hogs, prime heavy, \$4.50 corn. No. 2. 61c to 63c; oats; standard, 46c to 47c; rye, No. 2, 80c to \$2c; hay, timothy, \$10.00 to \$19.00; prairie, \$8.00 to \$15.50; butter, choice creamery, 25c to 28c; eggs, fresh, 22c to 25c; pota-

toes, per bushel, 35c to 43c. -Indianapolis-Cattle. shipping, \$2.00 to \$7.00; hogs, good to choice heavy, \$4:50 to \$8.85; sheep, good to choice, \$2.25 to \$5.50; wheat, No. 1, \$1.20 to \$1.50; corn, No. 2 white, 62c to 63c;

oats, No. 2 white, 46c to 47c. St. Louis-Cattle, \$4.00 to \$7.65: hogs, \$4.00 to \$8.70; sheep, \$3.00 to \$5.90; wheat, No. 2, \$1.27 to \$1.29; corn, No. 2, 62c to 64c; oats, No. 2 45c to 47c; rye, No. 2, 79c to 80c. Detroit—Cattle, \$4.00 to \$5.50; hogs

wheat, No. 2, \$1,21 to \$1,23; corn. No 3 yellow, 63c to 64c; oats, standard, 48c to 49c; rye, No. 1, 82c to 83c. Milwaukee-Wheat, No. 2 porthers \$1.11 to \$1.15; corn, No. 3, 65c to 67c; oats, standard, 47c to 49c; rye, No. 1, 79c to 80c - barley, standard 69c to

\$5.00 to \$8.35; sheep, \$8.50 to \$5.00;

70c; pork, mess, \$22.50, Buffalo - Cattle, choice shipping steers, \$4.00 to \$6.25; hogs, fair to choice, \$5.00 to \$9.15; sheep, common to good mixed, \$4.00 to \$5.50; lambs, fair to choice, \$5.00 to \$8.65.

\$5.25; wheat No. 2 red, \$1.28 to \$1.29; corn, No. 2, 71c to 72c; oats, natural, white, 52c to 55c; butter, creamery, 25c to 27c; eggs, western, 22c to 26c 26c. Toledo-Wheat, No. 2 mixed, \$1,23

to \$1.24; corn, No. 2 mixed, 64c to

65c; oats, No. 2 mixed, 47c to 48c;

rye, No. 2, 81c to 82c; clover seed Cincinnati—Cattle, \$4.00 to \$6.50; hogs, \$5.00 to \$8.85; sheep, \$3.00 to wheat, No. 2, \$1.25 to \$1.27; \$6.00: corn. No. 2. mixed. 62e to 63c; oats 2 mixed, 47c to 48c; fye, No. 2,

Charles S. Cummings, a Boston broter was sentenced at Cambridge, Mass. to from five to eight years in ed note, Town Treasurer John B. Lonibard, of Farmingham, Mass., having

85c to 86c.

Carbolic acid given in mistake for a toochache remedy by the wife of Rev. saused his death at their home near Kidder, N. Y.

Gift of \$50,000 to Cornell University rom Andréw Carnegie was announced to enlarge the laboratory for chemical research if 100 additional students can

son, aged 22, were found dead from gas polsoning in a Minneapolis rooming-house. Their deaths were acciden-

Gus Johnson, aged 43, and Carl Carl-



AND REAL PROPERTY OF THE PROPE

PRISON FOR GLAZIER.

Treasurer Sentenced for Misappro-printing \$685,000 of State Funds. Former State Treasurer Frank P. Glazier was sentenced by Judge Wiest, in Lansing, to serve not less than five years nor more than ten years in pris-on for misappropriating \$685,000 of State funds. Glazier controlled a bank at Chelsea which failed and the money had been deposited in this bank con trary to law. The State has recover-\$100,000 from bonding companies, and it is expected that another \$100, 000 will be thus obtained. A dramatic scene followed the pronouncing of the sentence. Judge Wiest had scarcely finished speaking when Glazier turned away from the bench and swooned. wife endeavored to assist him to his feet, but in her excitement fell be-side her husband. Two daughters, hurrying to the aid of their parents, only added to the confusion, and quickly fell themselves, all four lying on the courtroom floor before the judge's Excitement was intense, but all the Glazier family were soon assisted to their feet, and Glazier was led across the street to the jail to await

pers sending him to the penitentiary "HOLDS UP" STATE OFFICIAL.

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Rural School Trensprer "Covers

Auditor with Gun. Ernest Cameron, auditor for the State department of public instruction. had the surprise of his life when he reached the farm home of the treasurer of District No. 4 in Williams township, Bay County. Upon the auditor's demand to see his books and money Treasurer George Forster leaned into a buggy, whipped his horse into a gailop and disappeared. He returned with his brother-in-law, both armed. With his hands held high above his head, they marched the auditor into the , and the treasurer's wife was then directed to count the district funds under the eyes of the visitor and his guards. "I was not satisfied with his credentials and thought he might be a robber," said Forster, explaining

FARMERS IN MORTAL FEAR.

-Wolf-Was Killed They Have

Been Seeing Lots of Then Residents of Mussey and Lynn townships are in mortal fear of the presence of a pack of gray wolves in their vicinity and no one, will take the of venturing out after dark. Since it became known that Henry Du- diers at the post were hiding Cole. chene, a Detroit hunter, shot a wolf south of Capac and received a bounty of \$25, wolf stories have been coming in_thick and fast. In the last few the Civil War, is dead in Ann Arbor, weeks different persons have reported seeing animals which they now believe to have been wolves, and there are persons who say that they have heard the wolves how at night. It is forty five years since a wolf has been sho in the county, but since the recent scare, farmers are Reeping their live stock under lock and key.

STATE DROPS \$4,000,000 SUIT.

Michigan Central Co. in Return Agrees to Drop \$6,000,000 Action, Attorney General Bird announced that the attorneys representing the State of Michigan had agreed with the attorneys of the Michigan Central Railroad to stop a suit against the rail rows in two weeks and drew \$86.56 road for \$4,000,000 of back taxes in return for the railroad dropping its \$6. Twelve cars loaded with pig iron cation of its charter under which it about five miles south of Mancelona was allowed to charge 3 cents per mile The 1:10 train was sent around on the passenger fare. Under the agreement Pere Marquette by the way of Traverse the railroad would pay the State \$125. City. The agreement has to be fors before the cases can be discontinued in court.

CHILD'S LEG IS CUT OFF.

Little One Tried Short Cut Between Dorothy Truitt, 9 years old, while on her way to school in Kalamazoo, was caught under a string of cars which a switch engine was switching and her right leg was cut off just below the knee. There was a 21-foot opening in a string of cars and the child started through this opening, not seeing the engine. The cars closed in on her before she could get to the opposite side.

John Widdicomb Is Dead. John Widdicomb, one of the best known of the furniture manufacturers of Grand Rapids, died suddenly of rheumatism of the heart. Mr. Widdicomb was 64 years old.

Assailants Are Sentenced. Henry Brinkert, Carl Ethridge and William Root, the three young men on Taylor Hunt, aged 70, Jan. 22, were arraigned in the Circuit Court in Alle gan, and pleaded guilty. Brinkert was sentenced from ten to twenty years in Jackson and the other two were given fifteen years each in Ionia. Hunt was struck over the head with an ax and robbed of \$150. He is still in a ser! ous condition.

Blind Father Never Sees Children. Joseph Matthew, retired business man and capitalist, died suddenly from heart failure, and his death caused that of his mother-in-law, Mrs. Edward 1 Lenhenneo, who lived in the same the chloroform route, but his wife's house and had been ailing for some time. When told of his death, she expired within a few minutes. She was the Fenn Manufacturing Company, the mother of twenty-two children, all may lose his arm as the result of an living but one. Her husband died say injury sustained at his plant in Chareral months ago. He was totally blind lotte. Mr. Fenn was investigating a and had never seen any of the chil- new machine and his arm is broken dren.

TREED BY VICTOUS BULL

Three Farmers Held Prisoners for Hours in Frigid Weather,
Treed by a vicious bull, Albert

Brown, a farmer near Caseville, and his two hired men spent several anxious hours and nearly perished in the frigid blasts from Wild Fowl Bay fore they were rescued. The bull had escaped from the barnyard and the men undertook to chase him into the inclosure. Instead of complying, the angry bovine made a dash for the men and they dashed for the nearest trees. They had just time enough to pull themselves into the protecting branches of a couple of saplings out of reach of the bull's attacks. The bull adopted waiting tactics, seeming to know that his intended victims would be compelled to come off their perches or freeze to death. But a man with a cutter came along the road and proved their salvation. They hailed him, informing him of their predicament The man was compelled to drive five miles to obtain a rifle. Returning, he shot the bull and liberated the treed tric, who were so stiff with the cold they could scarcely move.

STOVE BLOWN TO PIECES.

Rochester Couple Narrowly Escape Serious Injury. Mr. and Mrs. Mark Axford of Ro

chester had a remarkable escape from serious injury when the kitchen range in their home was blown to pieces. The water in the pipes had frozen and when Mr. Axford started a fire in the morning an explosion followed, the stove being shattered as well as every window. A piece of flying iron knocked the back comb out of Mrs. Axford's hair, grazing her head. 'Another piece slightly injured her hus-band on the hand. A month ago Mr. Axford was severely scalded when a thrasher boiler exploded at Birmingham. He is a traveling salesma

FUGITIVE IS RECAPTURED.

Prisoner Had Broken Jail While Companion Plays Mouth Organ. from jail at Sault Ste. Marie, by wrenching iron bars loose from a window and jumping from a second story window into the snow while the sheriff ounded-a typeriter and and oner played a mouth organ, did not remain long at liberty. Sheriff Bayliss' nian hunt was rewarded when he captured Cole in the gymbasium at Fort Brady. It is not suspected that the sol-

AMONG OUR NEIGHBORS.

Capt. Patrick Irwin; a survivor of aged 70 years.

Mrs. John A. Perrine of Fenton is dead in the university hospital in Ann Arbor from an operation. Hillsdale business men will incor-

porate. They have agreed on concerted action to boost the city. The annual convention of the Big Rapids district of the Epworth

League will be held May 6, 7 and 8 at Reed City. City Recorder Gauff, after an exhaustive search of the city records, has

found that Marshall's bonded indebtdness is \$93,000. Peter F Blashfield of Clarendon township bagged 4,328 English spar

Fred W. Bourke of Detroit held the nolice at bay and terrorized his neighorhood with a shotgun for eighteen hours and was finally overpowered. It is thought he is mentally unbal-

The frozen body of Peter Taylor was found in his dooryard by a neighbor. farm near Bellaire. He probably died from heart failure.

Mrs. Lucy J. Trask is dead in Pasadena, Cal. She was the widow of Capt. W.E. Trask-of Co. H. Sixth Michigan organized in Eaton county. She leave one daughter, at whose home she died.

Walter Setterlund, a brakeman on the Isle Royale Railroad, fell under the train in Houghton. Both legs were cut off and he will die. At the same time an Isle Royale miner was struck on the head by a huge piece of falling

James Barry, sole survivor of the original Nichols & Shepard thresher industry is dead in Battle Creek from arrested in connection with the assault heart disease. In 1855 he came to Battle Creek from Long Island and soon after entered the employ of John Nichols and David Shepard in their small thresher plant on what is now State street. For forty-seven years Barry remained with them as molder. He was 63 years old, and died suddenly in the night, after retiring

in apparent good health. Frank E. Covkendall, a resident of Romeo for forty years, and formerly engaged in the meat market business

dled of pneumonia, aged 57 years.

Glenn: Walworth of Hilsdale, 20 years old, tried to commit suicide by cries brought help and saved his life. -George M. Fenn, principal owner of and badly smashed

IS AS TAFT VIEWS IT

President in New York Speech Says Policy Toward Corporations Is "Live and Let Live."

SEES PERIL ONLY IN HYSTERIA

Executive in Vehement Talk Says He Will Safeguard Prosperity and Fufill G, O. P. Pledges.

President Taft, speaking at the Lincoln day celebration of the New York Republican Club, made defense in detail of the policies of his administration. He declared business "hysteria," due to agitation and fear of drastic action against corporations in general, to be unjustified, and throughout his talk pleaded for the sinking of factional differences toward the future of the Republican party and the carrying out of its pledges.
"If the enforcement of the law is not

onsistent with the present method of carrying on business, then it does not speak well for the present methods of conducting business, and they must be changed to conform to the law," declared the President, and his audience at the banquet tables in the Waldorf-Astoria cheered the utterance. Govrnor Hughes, who shared the honors of the evening with the President, joined in the applause.

Mr. Taft adhered to his purpose of discussing platform pledges and how they should be kept. It was at the onclusion of a detailed argume to how the Republican party is redeeming its pledges that he came to a discussion of the anti-trust law and Wall-street, on which his utterances had been awaited with the greatest interest. The President declared that the administration would not "foolish-ly run amuck in business and destroy values and confidences just for the pleasure of doing so." Its policy was "Live and let-live."

No one, he continued, has a mo tive as strong as the administration in power to cultivate and strengthen busiess confidence and prosperity.
"But there was no promise on the

art-of the Republican party to change the anti-trust law except to strengthenit. Of course the government at Washington can be counted on to enforce the law in the way best calculated to prevent a destruction of public confidence-in business, but-it must-enforce-

The President declared there were signs which many construed to indicate that the Republican majority in Congress might be replaced by a Democratic majority. The cause he asserted to be dissensions in the Republican party arising out of differences of opinion in regard to the rules in the House and to the personnel of the leadership

in the Senate.

He declared there existed a growing tendency to the assertion of individual opinion and purpose at the expense of party discipline. The movement was oward factionalism and small groups All this, Mr. Taft said, should be forgotten in furtherance of the one great aim-party success. To this end he asserted, a campaign of education was

"I am far from saying the Republican party is perfect," declared the President, and then he gave a warning that party insurgents should be pun-

The high cost of living, Mr. Taft'asserted, primarily was due to the "in crease in the measure of value of gold and, in some measure, to combinations

BURN UP AS MUCH AS BUILD.

Safe and Sane's Campaign

Building brick manufacturers, mem bers of the National Brick Manufacturers' Association, have formed an organ ization to move for the construction of safe and sane" buildings. Statements and figures showing that the people of the United States are burning up as Mr. Taylor was an old man who had | many buildings as they construct each lived alone in a small shanty on a new | year brought about formation of the under organization.

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> Mystery of Patrick Gavin's death was cleared by John Culkins of Roxbury, Mass., who stated Gavin, a total stranger, grabbed him by the arm and that he nushed him violently into the street. Culkins was held on a charge of manslaughter.

Bockefeller Offers \$100,000. John D. Rockefeller has offered \$100. 000 to the fund of \$500,000 the Cloveland Y. M. C. A. is endeavoring to coilect to build a new building.

Once Money King; Dies Poor, With no relative of friend to cheer m in his last hours, Lewis G. wielded great power in Wall street died in a charity hospital in New Orleans from uremic poisoning

Rich Man Shoots Self. Colonel T. F. Allen, wealthy and oted paint manufacturer, while cleaning a revolver mortally wounded him self in his office in Cincinnati.

Czarina Unable to Recognize Family The Vienna correspondent of the Berlin Tageblatt professes to have information that the condition of the Czarina is so grave that she is unable to recognize the Czar or her children The Czarina has been ill for many

Women Burn to Death: Man Dying and an old man will probably die from exposure as a result of a fire that destroyed the farmhouse of Hubert Hayes, near Burton, O.

DEAD RANSAS CITY MILLIONAIRE, HIS NEPHEW, SWOPE HOME AND THE PHYSI-CIAN CHARGED WITH MURDER



typhold fever raged in the Swope

Dr B Clark Hyde

As a climax to the lengthy investion mation. Dr. Hyde was placed under gation of the mysterious death of the constant surveillance of detectives. Colonel Thomas II. Swope on Oct. 2, Dr. Hyde prescribed for Colonel Swope 1909, Dr. B. C. Hyde, husband of the during the latter's illness. The palate Kansas City millionalre's niece, tient was given a digestive capsule was arrested on the charge of murder- | Oct. 3. Twenty minutes later, while ing the aged philanthropist. First de reading a newspaper, he went into congree murder is charged. The warrant vulsions. His neck and limbs stiffensays that Dr. Hyde, with felonious in ed and he grouned in great pain. tent, administered strychnine to Col- railied long enough to say: "I wish I

TO CROSS THE ATLANTIC. Dirigible Balloon Will Make the At-

tempt Next May. It has now been arranged that the tic which is projected by Joseph Brucker will start from Berlin for Teneriffe on May 15. The enterprise will be undertaken by S. L. Schwartz, a New York promoter, and the Ganz Company of Mannheim.

The balloon, which will have Vancou ver, B. C., as its objective point, is be ing constructed at Hamburg. It will be semi-circular, will be of 5,000 cubic feet dimensions and will have two 50horsepower motors. It will carry six persons, all of them engineers.

The first stage of the voyage is ex-pected fo take four days. The balloon will have the benefit of the trade winds most of the way. Two steamers will accompany the balloon, but they will sail two days ahead of the airship.

Alderman Dennis J. Egan has presented to the Chicago City Council an rdinance prohibiting the cold storage nen from keeping their supplies more than sixty days

Ban on Cold Storage Foods.

Millions in Stolen Milke The superintendent of weights and

measures for New York City announces that an investigation-has convinced him that more than 50 per cent of bottles in which milk is delivered in the metropolis are short measure. He estimates that by this means the consumers are robbed annually of 14,000,-000 quarts of milk, which at 9 cents a quart would amount to \$1,360,000. He wants a law passed making it a crimi-nal offense to manufacture or use botties of less than full measure.



ended by circumstances which mystified the millionaire's family and close (riends: Dr. Hyde had treated Colone In signing the death certificate, given thy feet shall be established, thou have apoplexy as the cause of his demise. When in December an epideniic of

household, during which eight persons were stricken and one, Chrisman Swope, died under conditions that caused much apprehension among the attending nurses, John G. Paxton, theexecutor, and Mrs. Logan Swope, mothor of Christman, instituted a vigorousinvestigation. Dr. Edward L. Stewart came forward with the statement that him an active typhold culture. After Dr. Stewart had divulged this infor-



The basket ball team of the Chicag University recently defeated the North estern University team by a score of

The Walnut Hill Farm of Kentucky will send forty-four youngsters up to New York to the Fasig-Tipton sale at Madison Square Garden. The fastest new trotter of 1909 for Kansas, raced solely over half-mile

winnings exceed \$1,700. Yale defeated Princeton in the first swimming meet of the season at Princeton by a score of 271/2 to 251/2. The visitors also won the water polo

game 10 to 6. The high school basket ball team of Menomonie, Wis., which holds the State championship cup, recently won its first game from the Stillwater high with a score of 34 to 18.

Star Pointer, the 1:59% pacer, will soon be shipped from California to Co-lumbus, Tenn., where the balance of his life will be spent at his old home. At Oakland, Cal., Bubbling Water gained an easy victory in the Follans-bee handicap, from a field of seven. Arasee ruled favorite, but Bubbling Water went to the front easily and

A new half-mile track, sixty feet wide, is being built at Oukdale, Cal., by the Driving Association. The track is beautifully situated, and the grounds will be further improved by the planting of trees and shrubbery.

won by two lengths.



DON'T FOLLOW THE CROWD.

By Rev. J. Lewis Hartsock, Thou shalt not follow a multitude to do evil.-Exodus 22:2.

This ordinance in the book of Exodus is an evidence of that wisdom which marks Moses as the greatest statesman of ancient days. The warning of this old command is simply, "Don't follow the crowd." The peril of the city is the excess of the instinct for association. Civilization, progress is the growth and development of the associate life of men, but the peril of city life is that this instinct is over People hate to be alone. What pro-

portion of the 10,000 witnesses of a football match would stand for an hour or more in the wind and, rain if each man were isolated from the rest of the crowd and saw only the players? In spite of only dirt and disease, congestion and high rents, the cities are growing at an enormous rate, while the towns and villages are diminishing. This instinct to be in a crowd is one of the most serious developments in modern civilization. "New York is not a civilization; it is a great railway station." The inevtable result of association in a crowd is to do as the crowd does. The temper of Broadway, which is damning thousands of careless lives, is the subtle cry which calls, "Do as the crowd

All-about us are people who lower their standard to suit the crowd. It. is astonishing how far we are influenced by the practice and opinion of our fellows. Fear of unpopularity, a desire to be one with the rest, has led many a prodigal into the far country. The history of the sinning world in a nutshell is simply doing as other do, going the way the crowd does. Obviously those who follow others come to have no autonomy of their own. They lose the power of inde-great ideals! This is the spirit of truependent judgment the strength and greatness. It will save the world. As lisposition for personal initiative, ap drawn sword at the portal of sinless tion.

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This is the kind of atmosphere in which many are living to-day, eager. restless to be in the current of thing where, in the ceaseless fret and foam of the sea, the man's identity is los and his personality merged in the great composite. Moses speaking to ancient Israel uttered a warning and command which was nover more no-tent than to day: "Thou shalt not follow a multitude to do evil." Resistance is power. Life has been defined as the sum total of the forces that resist death. Resistance is life. the centripetal force which keeps the planet from flying off into space, there operates the law of resistance, whose might is the secret of creation. In the moral and spiritual world the secret. of life is the might of one's resistance

When one's sense of personal respon sibility and obligation is lest, his re sistance is gone, and when his resisting power is gone the man is gone. Follow not the crowd, but the chal lenge of thine own soul. Be a whole Thou, whose all pervading eye man to the whole of life and verifably ing done all to stand.

THE PATIENCE OF GOD.

By Rev. Richard S. Storrs, D. D. Text: "Now the God of patience and consolation grant you to be like minded one toward another."-Rom.

xv:5./
The God of patience: That statement strikes us, perhaps, strangely as coming from the energetic aggressive ing Him who is enthroned in heaven in the way and trips us up over a ing Him was a securious to heaven in the same and glories in His majesty. We think pebble, of Him and think justly, as a God of To refuse the friendship of continuity wisdom, of unbending might science is to double the power of all and justice, bringing retribution uponthose who offend against Him, of eternal authority carrying on His power from the heights of the throne upon which He is forever, established. And this is the correct view of God This is the greatest thought that has ever, entered within the range of numan mind Irils the t which all noble character and all noble civilization of communities and of states are builded. We do not think ! Him as a God of patience. Every summer in its progress and

from its close really reminds us that

God is a God of patience. How long a time there is between the setting of the tender shoot to the wealthy growth of grass. How long the time between the flower stem just appear ing above the brown earth and the consummate blossom on its stalk, waying its body and exhaling its beauty on the air. A lady spoke to me of her summer having been passed in hospital, in the trying monotony of a hospital, in the experience of lingering hours when days seem to bass percentibly. She took no note how long she had been in the ward, suffering with sickness and pain. "When I went into the hospital, said, "I brought with me a branch of apple blossoms which a friend had sent to me. As I came out and moved across the pavement to the carriage. there were apples on a stand near by from the blossom to the perfect fruit?" It was to her a kind of sociological chronicle, a sort of aerial stop watch making the interval between the beginning and the end. A God of patience! So events are

slowly established and gradually woven. Social relations between men only slowly perfect themselves, forms of government only slowly come to their full power. The simple improve ment in society is so slow that man almost breaks his heart sometimes over the slowness, until he feels that he would hurry all if he had the power. God does not. He is a Go of patience and it is lies way of educating mankind, slowly building power, slowly but surely advancing

THE AMBITIOUS MAN.

By Rev. Vance, D. D. Text.—"Then there arose a reason-ing among them, which of them should be the greatest. * * And Jesus said unto them he that is the least among you all, the same shall be great."—Luke 9: 46-48.

The Ambitious Man" is a portrait of all the disciples in one. Unsatisfied lust for place and power has taken possession of the twelve. For the time being they are dead to the great spiritual facts of Christ's kingdom. The holy voices of the beatitudes are drowned in a jargon of strife. The patient, self-denying example of the Master himself fails to act as either restraint or rebuke to these ambitiondriven men. They do not stop to consider their fitness for the high places they seek. It does not occur to them that weightier responsibilities attach to positions of larger trust. In their insane scramble for preferment, they are blind to all save self-promotion. Hot words have passed between them, and now, crowding against each other, in selfish haste, they come to Jesus with the question: "Which of us shall be the greatest?"

It is unquestionably one's duty to make the most of himself and his opportunities. The absence of aspiration of this kind is an unspeakable commity. It makes the difference between a dead man and a living one. If the parable of the talents means anything it is that God expects everyone to get the best. But this is not the spirit that looks down upon us from the face in my text. This is rath. er ambition sanctified, ennobled, purified, transformed to righteous aspira-

The highest achievement is not to capture the prize, but to make the race; not to surrender to sense, but to touch the infinite and embody that which will outlive the tick of the clock.

Let us crowd out ambition with the spirit of the cross of Calvary. Let us open the heart to child trust and child love. All hail to self-sacrifice and to that devotion which lays down life for it grows stronger the angel with the that pristine paradise will turn or their golden hinges again, the light om the better land will fall upon Earth will move up to the doorstep of heaven, and the door will be ajar.

HYMNS AND THEIR AUTHORS

EVENING SONG.

Softly now the light of day Lord, I would commune with thee,

Open fault, and secret sin. ne, the light of day forever pass away;

Then, from sin and sorrow free Take meshord, to dwell with thee.

All-of-man's-infirmity: Then from thine eternal throne, Jesus, look with pitying eye,

SERMONETTES.

Character is what you are when it seems that the conductor will not look

for your fare. Many seem to think that the mark

of a level-headed man is that he has thrown away his heart. You cannot tell much shout a man's bank account in heaven by his ability

to coin pious phrases. Many men would be religious if their friends were not so anxious to make it cem petty and ridiculous

Many a man thinks he is sure of heaven because he is so well satisfied vith what he hasn't done here The people who cry for practical

oreaching are the first to demand "the imple gospel" when they get hit. Much religious speculation is like trying to explain the world's anthems

by the ether waves that carry them. The fact that you cannot get along with this universe does not sindicate that you are ordained to rule in another.

Many a saint-would have less trouble vrestring with the devil if he would get out and wrestle with a ball for an hour or two.

DON'TS FOR CHURCHMEN.

Don't try to keep ideals alive by imply proclaiming them. Don't fail to practice the truth that

you are fighting for. Don't try to lift the church by hidng your faults beneath it. Don't water your sorrows when you bury them, lest they spring up anew.

Don't forget that the gravestone tick-

t to glory is engraved too late to aid

Don't try to learn the way to heaven by inquiring as to the waywardness of your friends.

Don't forget that the clock which trikes the loudest is frequently farthest off in time.

Don't permit the habit of prayer to nean as little as the habit of profacity does to some men.

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A MODERN

By A. ROBT. GROH

Anthony Johnson had worked two years as hired man for Laban Walker money in the bank. Why does he not buy a farm of his own?" people asked.
Anthony knew why. So, also, did pretty Rachel Walker, It was for her smiles and presence that Anthony con tinued to toil for Laban Walker.
Rachel knew that Anthony was in

love with her a month after he came to work for her father. In her heart she-rejoiced in his adoration. But. like many good women, she was something of a croquette, and so where as they were driving home from church one day. Anthony asked her to marry him, she smiled roguishly and said: "Father wants me to marry La. envy of all the girls around

fayette Fraser."

Anthony bit his lip and struck the horse such a cut with the whip that the animal jumped forward with a suddenness that threatened to upset

Fraser was a widower, but he in the county. Rachel had smiled on him-when he called, especially when Anthony could see her. Fraser had after.

you think you love him—

not a woman he did not get by

I_nust_leave," he said.
"What—what's that?" y exclaimed Walker, "Didn't ye tell me just last

"Yes," admitted Anthony, "but cir-

to bed, whore he passed a sleepless the girl he wanted this time was not he had saved during the years of toll? Dorothy, but her younger sister. known he was a fool to aspire to the hand of such a girl.

of Anthony, "He took me so awfully mouth, seriously," she reflected. And then Dorothy had just finished her talk

her room, so her father would not see the tears that welled up in her eyes. could come from her bit of coquet

That evening when Anthony came in from doing the chores he heard his name called in a low voice. It was

"You-vou didn't think I mean what I said about Lafayette Fraser, did you, Anthony?" she said, her voice Anthony's heart gave a great lear

"Oh, Rachel, do you—can you mean

Her eyes were cast down and she was picking to pieces a flower. She early date," said Dorothy, "for my adlocked up timidly at him, and in the vice to you is not to be foolish, like I half darkness he saw her slender-form sway. The next moment he held her tight in his arms and her smilling eyes were upturned happily to his.

The Secret Society of Breakers is a

new organization in Atchison. If a woman receives a platter or any other breakable article as a gift from friend and knows that to put it on display, where the donor expected it to be put, its ugliness will make a wildurness of her once pretty home, she drops a note to the Secret Society of Breakers, and this is what follows: A member of the society makes a call on the afflicted woman and while there asks casually to see the woman's china; she is so interested in china, she says. She also says she is clumsy and doesn't like to handle Alshes. This clumsiness accounts to when the platter falls to the floor and breaks. It is said of one woman whose husband got her an ugly lamp shade that she let it fall herself and the S. S. of B. This was a mistake. ias her husband will always feel aggrieved at her carelessness .- Atchison

The man who does his best will hold job longer than the man who could do better, but doesn't.

"Too Late By L. B. G. M.

"So you won't marry me?"
"I do think it's a sin, Jack, for you to insist, when you know this is my first season, and I have looked forward to at least two years more of

"Very well, Dorothy, I won't say other word. I trust your seasons will be bright, and I will endeavor to do my best to make them so." "Oh, Jack, you are a dear!

not be sweethearts for some time; we'll pretend we're only chums." Dorothy Madden was considered the der, with laughing eyes, auburn curls

Col. Madden had at one time been prominent in politics, but after losing his wife his health had failed and little by little his immense fortune had dis family when they found they had only their home and a few thousands left." Jack Churchill was the heir of his uncle Robert Vaughn, the Michigan

millionaire, and was much sought

Two gay seasons had passed. Jack was mortgaged, and had de did everything to make Derothy have cided in the end that Rachel was a pleasant time. The many late eve-good "bargain" even without money. nings, dancing, etc., began to show on Authony drove along in silence after Dorothy; she was thinner, her eyes Pachel had given him her answer, falled to have the brilliancy that at one time made them so heautiful. And

mentioned marriage to her-Gol. Madden, seeing the change in his daughter, and knowing that Jack ad not been to him to ask for Döro thy, supposed she was grieving. Call—fine oil painting in the window of an is of such situations, and as he is of such situations, and as he is of such situations, and as he is of a woman he did not get by he said: "Dorothy, does Jack seem to "How do you like that, Bill?" he as attentive as ever, or have you ig. I fon the gift of acting well under such circumstances. So he said no fore. His heart was too full for ut. we're situated. Margaret is old enough terince.

They soon reached home, and he senior when you made your debut, and he helped her out of the buggy. Then it hout a word he drove to the barn make up your mind to marry, and give make the horse. He changed to come out. You were a year her only bought the picture he fancied for nout a word he drove to the put away the horse. He changed your sister an opportunity. I consider the special point in society."

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"Father," said Dorothy, "two ago Jack asked me to marry him; I

While Dorothy and her father were talking in the library, Margaret was in "Sweetheart, though you haven't cumstances have changed since then." made your formal debut, you can mar-ry me and we'll dour the continent and Nothing Walker could say would you'll have just as nice a time as any

Saved and planned great things for "guess you're right. Dad hasn't the the future was going to be another's money to keep us both in society and He ought never to have hoped for her. Dorothy won't marry. Come, we'll go he told himself. He might have to the house and tell them the news."

There was quise a contrast between hand of such a girl:

Rachel had been a little worried during the night about her treatment gray eyes and the beautiful Mandden

scriously, she reflected. And then Dorothy had just finished her talk she took a little tintype out of a box with her father, when the door suding the posthumous title of Wenney and Jocked at it before she went down denly opened and Jack and Margaret, staffs to get breakfast.

Her father was there and he told the ford maden, called both the foreign weaths, others carrying of the series to bring finished her talk metals a velous the intereston that we get high and the form the post was wing beans to the inger, swe the impression that we get high and the form the post Anthony's determination. She of them, "we've come to tell you." conwas frightened. She hurried back to tinued Jack, "we're going to be mar-

Col. Modden_tried_to_bide_bis She had hever dreamed that this prise, for he had thought it was Dorothy, not his little Margaret, whois Jack wanted.

"Margaret," sald her father, "you couldn't have looked the world over and have pleased me better. Jack, he continued, "you can have her but remember, she is nothing but a child." ing to control her feelings. It seem her heart would break, for she loved Jack dearly.

lay," said Margaret, "which months from to day "I am glad you have appointed an

was, and wait until it is-too late," Scattered Jose Worshiners

Francisco recently, when an immense poses; suspended high over the suddenly broke loose from its lofty mooring and sailed with great confusion down into the heart of China-town. It fell with a thundering crash on the roof of a Chinese josshouse; and instantly, its wire having crossed several live wires, there began a ter-rifying spluttering and flying of sparks. The whole building jarred when the mighty kite struck the roof, and the fireworks that succeeded sent terror to the hearts of priests and worshipers, who made a mad rush for

the street.

Goose Thirty-Two Years Old. Joha Henry Mattox, whose home is in Goosepond district, is possessor of goose 32 years old, its next birthday comes in June. The goose stands of living quite a while longer. And, doubtless, Mr. Mattoz would not part with the fowl that has been a member of his barnyard famly for so long for any consideration. There is also among his collection a peafowl that if he lives to celebrate its next birthday, will be 35 years old clothes. - Somerville Journal

Mr. Slacksomeby Cleans It Out Every Here's an 18-Year-Old Star Whose Philosophic Man Sees Great Possibilic Mexico and South American Republics January and the Results Make .

"A friend of mine writes me from Sandusky, O.: 'I. notice you've taken "and that amuses me a little, because I'm using now the same kind of ink that I always did, an ink with a "Every year in January I clean out.

my inkstand; I do this in January so that I won't forget it; starting then with the inkstand all nice and clean. As the months go by more or less sediment from the ink poured in collects settles in it, so that it gets to be inside quite muddy, and this mud, natur ally, discolors the fresh ink that I pour in from time to time and makes it gradually darker and darker. By De-cember I am writing with ink that is practically black; but it flows freely gradual I haven't noticed it.

"When January comes around again give the old inkstand its annual thorough cleaning, and then for a fime the ink from it writes blue again. And that's what's happened now to make my friend out there on the shores of Lake Eric write to me I-notice you've taken to using blue ink' it's really very simple, but it makes me smile."

USED TO ADORN THE BARN

Costly Furnishings That Will Seem to the Ordinary Man Somewhat Out of Place.

T. N. Barnsdell, the big Pittsburg off operator, was in New York one COULDN'T DECEIVE OLD LADY day and saw what he thought was a asked a friend who was with hi

"Well, then, let's go in and buy it." So they went in and Barnsdell not \$2,500, but found another he liked and

"Fine." said Bill.

paid \$750 for that. A year or so later Bill, the friend who was with him, visited Barnsdell at his house. He found some fine pictures on the walls, but not the two e assisted in selecting. "T. N.," said Bill, "where are those

approve of those pictures and they hanging in the barn. phia Saturday Evening Post.

paper adds: "How about the feelings of the hatted and robed thousands grown younger—that I looked ten utive staff of the Philadelphia Watch who escorted the coffin? Are their years younger than when he saw me Company, a few days ago.

comfort and feelings not to be con- last. But Jamie"—and here she shook.

According to Mr. Feuser, he was vissidered?" It is curious to note in the account of the funeral the parenthetcal advertisement: "The arrangements were all carried out by the unsetting forth all deceased's ionors and titles. In order to raise money the front gate enclosed area (not hitherto so used) has been lef out as a market to two speculators.

A Strange Resemblance. ness, when the ticker was running slow, when the investors were not pi ing up dollars fast enough, the trend of conversation turned toward logic "I can prove logically that hive is the same as a rotten notato." confidently said one of the brokers in

"It is impossible," said the rest:
"No: I can do it." insisted he who had begun the argument. One of the party, willing to learn

what the proof was, wagered 10 cents with the banker and he was asked to sustain his position. "Well," he began, "a beehive is a neholder and a beholder is a specta-

tor (specked tater)."

China is to be one of the prime the world-wide campaign for woman's suffrage, according to Lau Chi Chang of Canton, China, a graduate student in political-science

at the University of Wisconsin, who addressed the convention of the merican Political Science associa tion in New York. During the, last some of the minor political matters, particularly in boycotts. The women of China have been aroused by general suffrage movement, and are expected to have a large share in the democratizing and occidentalizing of

Found Out. Lawson-What sort of a man is Bjenkyns, anyway? Dawson-Well, his wife always goes with him when he buys a su

INK WELL HAS ANNUAL BATH AND THIS FROM THE STAGE THE RISE IN MOUNTAIN TOPS LOCUSTS CAUSE HEAVY LOSS

Life's Ambition-Isn't to Marry the Soubrette.

"Any fellow that wants to succeed ought to clear of matrimony until he's to using blue ink," said Slacksomeby; at least 30; if he hooks up before that time he deserves the worst," says cessful comedian and just past his I'll tell you why.

"But, first, did you ever climb to eighteenth year.

"Yes, I'd like to do what George the top of a high young, especially in this business, is house could but frame such lovely when he gets married too early. scenes!

past. It's awful to go and live in a day, a mountain top is too difficult of couple of rooms and have a young access. But when flying is quite pergirl who wants pretty clothes and a feeted, then the rich business man, ingood time, without everything. I can stead of living in stuffy town apartsee how it's all right for a while, but ments, will have his luxurious castle where's the fun after the novelty 6,000 or 7,000 feet up in the air, and wears off?

ask the girl. Then she'll stick to me, ing business a religion." money and tells her what a 'mut' I DISINFECTION BY FLAT-IRON am not to give her pretty clothes and I've seen a few things in life, and that's one of them."

Statesman's Well-Meant Flattery Alluded to in Anything but Grateful Terms.

Scotland...

with open arms in her pretty little tain bacteria resist lower temperahome. It may have been the warmth tures. ago Jack asked me to marry nim; I mere are those of her reception or perhans travas degree than to wait; I hated to settle degree that day in New his own loy in returning, but, which the distinct is capable at the degree of the degree than the de

There was a fearful hurricane, with characterizes her speech, "he said crobian colony developed tying stones and sand, in Peking that my parlor lookit more beautiful. when the late Viceroy Chang Chih than any of those he had seen front-gate. People-said: "He was in ne a lee." And she gravely shook so good that the very elements ac her head at his deprayity.
claim his coffin," but the native news "And Jamie, when he came back," her head at his deprayity.

And Jamie, when he came back, demonstrated by a story told by Frank

she continued, told me that I had reuser of Delanco, one of the exec-

her head sorrowfully, but with resig. iting a friend recently who has a sevnation—'Jamle, he been tellin me a en-year-old son, and during the con latter.

the foreign wreaths, others carrying sults. We do rush about a lot, but 'I think, while, said the incorary umbrellas presented to man never went so little on his feet that I will tell him to bring you a the late vicercy by the people at vac as here and now. Cars elevators, and box of those wooden building blocks."

**Documentary umbrellas presented to man never went so little on his feet that I will tell him to bring you a sheet and now. Cars elevators, and box of those wooden building blocks." without scarcely the crook of a knee. Actually, there are men in this city a day and scarcely get enough exercise for the final cellular digestion of the rich, greasy, julcy, vinous viandsthey devour. And never since creations dawn, except in aldermanic Lon. to make it a few bags of concrete. stuck under business, men's noses all morning to the last thing at night. Once in a while the Frenchman, the Outchman and the Englishman stuff with these intensely rich, juicy gorges. But like Haffey's whisky they are here for us all all the time.-New York

University Professors Poorly Paid. That 80 per cent, of the assistant rofessors in American universities must supplement their salaries by outthat, though they receive on an averunmarried man 74 per cent are marled-and-almost-all-of-these-have children to support, and that over 63 per cent, have had to have financial asring a debt which takes six to ten years to repay, are facts presented by versity, before the Association of ber 20, 1492. The use of it was intro-American Universities in annual conversion at the University of Wiscon French ambassador at Lisbon, Jean sin recently. Prof. Marx based his Nicot, sent some of the favorite weed statements on statistics gathered from to France, where it was named in honthree years meetings convened by sintenests on statistics gathered from to France, where it was named in hon-women have had much influence in 250 assistant professors in the 22 uni. or of him "Nicotiana." It seems to versities represented in the associa-

> A Trying Experience. Assistant Lighthouse Keeper "Al", Smith, who helps tend the beacon on the West Bank light, in Princess bay just inside of Sandy Hook, N. J., was recently picked up at Hoffman's island in his small boat. He had attempted to row to the mainland and had lost his way in the fog. He was eight ours in his uncovered boat before he

tica in the Development of the Flying Machine,

"Corney Vanderbilt and Bob-Collier have ordered Wright aeroplanes," said the state of Tabasco communicated -too familiarly perhaps—a flying man, to the department of fomento the moving.

"They are both, I understand, negoti- fact that that state was suffering No. of Herman Timberg, star of "School ating, too, for high mountain tops to Days," writer of songs; sketches and build castle-like houses upon. Mounstrong blue tinge, only it looks difparodles and maker of cartoons, suctain tops, already high, are going up.
ferent now to him for this reason:
cessful comedian and just mast his I'll dell you why.

Cohan has done," he said. They're and cool the air is up there! Below, going to give me all the songs to for hundreds of miles, spreads the write for my show next season and I'll country, here in shadow, there in glithave a lot of winners, I sent some tering sunshine. You see, perhaps, waltzes to a publisher last month and other mountains, cities, even the farhe says they're corking good. That off sea. Those splendid views, that makes a fellow feel fine. But where pure air, they uplift the heart like a young lad like myself makes a ter music. If you could live on a mounrible mistake when he starts out tain top-if the windows of your

y black; but it flows freely "I intend to get married some day," That, of course, was impossible a and the change has been so but not until my thirtieth birthday is few years ago; it is still impossible to-"That, of course, was impossible a he will fly to and from it in his mono-"When I'm 30 I'm going to have lots plane or biplane, and from every winof money and be on top if I can. Then dow he will gaze on views that will

a good time. Oh, yes, I'm young, but Experiments Have Proved Its Distinct Value as a Destroyer of

The smoothing of household linen much more than is intended by laun peratures that often exceed 130 de-Secretary Wilson of the department rics and thus render hygienic service, in the land of thistles as any laird of naces for disinfection or autoclaves The secretary has a dearly beloved is well known that all microbes may aunt out west, and upon his first return to pay her a visit after his appointment in Washington some years grees C. but sterilization requires 430 ago, the dear oils lady received him degrees because the spokes of certain degrees because the spokes of certai

a kind of sore subject with me. You of rhapsody: He extolled everything in contact with children suffering of a fath. Usurers eccupied the south see, my women folks, who know some and everybody about the place with frem centagious disease, or had been alsie, and horse dealers the north, and everybody about the place with fresh centagious disease, or and been alsie, and horse dealers the north, the wildest and most unrestrained cu- contaminated with the germs of diph bie of horses and a deu of thieves." theria, hyenia, etc. This linen was ble of horses and a den of thieves. ewhich it was rubbed on plates of horse at St. Paul's as he would at "When Jamle came back," she to getatin prepared for the culture of Smithfield. lated, in the quaint accent which still microbes. It was found that no mi

That, the kids are right next to the

versation the holidays and Christmas presents-were mentioned. At this op- it is a pod-bean-the-size of the first portune juncture the boy broke into joint of the finger, six or eight of these "I think, Willie," said the father, they say,"

phatic response of Willie. "Because they are out of date." re

plied the kid. Dispatch. 2 : -

A Royal Rebuke.

The members of the Society of in the presence of the highest earth ly dignity—even royalty itself. They Say that this is a token of reverence which should be kept for God alone. The famous William Penn, who he onged to this sect, kept on his hat when he was first presented to his soy reign, Charles II. The king rebuked this apparent rudeness in a manner When the sturdy Quaker was shown his own hat, saying: "Friend Penn, it is the custom of this court for only rayed was indubitably unnatural. "put one person to remain covered at a on," whereas the glory of the Queen

Tobacco.

The first recorded mention of tobacco is in Columbus' diary, for Novem by Lane's returning colonists in 1586. it was becoming fashionable to smoke in spite of the bull of Pope Urban VIII., and King James "Counterblast to Tobacco."

Couldn't Sav. 1911-What's the height of your am

bition? 1910-Well, I don't know exactly. t she just comes up to my shoulde -Harvard Lamnoon

Fight Plague.

Several days ago the governor of from a locust plague, which had basco-Campeche boundary and was

state of Yucatan received by the department indicate that the locust has not injured the crops there to any great extent this year, yet for eral years past the losses from this plague have been quite severe.

The department, immediately upon

receipt of the information, sent a large consignment of anti-locust mushrooms, which when grown in a comof the insects. It is said that 'this tle service in the states of Yucatan. the difference in climate from that witteh prevails in the districts where the mushroom has been successfully tried. It is said, however, that the increase of the insects has been checked, particularly in the state of

The fight against the locust has become one of the greatest issues in the lower of the greatest issues in the lift our door is wide, it may some this ment there has in one year, expended open the door! ment there has in one year expended many millions of dollars with little success.—Mexican Herald.

CHURCH USED AS PROMENADE

Common Custom Centuries Ago in England Regarded by Us Today as Profanation:

In the old days, especially during peratures that often exceed 130 degrees C it has been thought that it must be able to sterilize certain fabrics and thus render hygienic service; especially in the country, where fures and thus render hygienic service; especially in the country, where fures and thus render hygienic service; especially in the country, where fures and thus render hygienic service; especially in the country, where fures and thus render hygienic service; especially in the country, where fures the function of with sealing the function of the heart in the reigns of James I, and Charles II. Support the door of the heart in the reigns of James I, and Charles II. Support the door of the heart in the reigns of James I, and Charles II. Support the door of the heart in the reigns of James I, and Charles II. Support the door of the heart in the reigns of James I, and Charles II. Support the door of the heart in the reigns of James I, and Charles II. Support the door of the heart in the reigns of James I, and Charles II. Support the door of the heart in the reigns of James I, and Charles II. Support the door of the heart in the reigns of James I, and Charles II. Support the door of the heart in the reigns of James I, and Charles II. Support the door of the heart in the reigns of James I, and Charles II. Support the door of the heart in the reigns of James I, and Charles II. Support the door of the heart in the reigns of James I, and Charles II. Support the door of the heart in the reigns of James I, and Charles II. Support the door of the heart in the reigns of James I. Support the door of the heart in the reigns of James I. Support the door of the heart in the reigns of James I. Support the door of the heart in the reigns of James I. Support the door of the heart in the reigns of James I. Support the door of the heart in the reigns of James I. Support the reigns of James I. Support the door of the heart in the reigns of James I. Support the latest the reigns of James I. Support the latest the latest the reigns of James I. Support the latest of wits, gallants and fashionable idlers who met there to gather or re tall the latest news. The nave and body of a cathedral

> much less_sacred_than_the-chancel and this explains, if it does not excuse, the fact that they were often given over-to-all kinds-of-profane and E.C. Blake & Co

Shakespeare makes Falstaff buy a

funeral banquets an cording to Stubbs, traces of these usages lingered on into the middle of he seventeenth century.

Misleading Information,

Campaigns of education seem to be running a bad second to the bureau of popular misinformation. Here is a fine example of the product of the

"The cocoa is a native of Venezuela

is the seed of the fruit of a tr sembling an apple tree. The fruit is oblong and heavily fluted in eight seg ients. It averages eight inches in length, about three inches in thickness and resembles a canteloupe. Inside wood any more. It you want him to the shell of the fruit is a thick, sweet bring me anything in that line tell him, and highly viscid cream. Suspended and highly viscid cream. Suspended in this medium is an agglomerated Ass of beans averaging considerably taken refuge in the branches of a tall larger than the largest size of lima beans and numbering from 25 to 50. In other respects the description is ap-

> Men, Women and-Clothes. true man is known by his unfait

known by the way she wears her clothes. She is not to be thought of as separable from them. Of the many illusions wherewith veritable woman veils herself from really, truly none is more characteristically feminine than this one, that she hath for dressmaker Dame Nature's own self. Resplendent though it must have been, the glory wherewith Solomon was arof Sheba was, beyond a doubt natura man's clothes are for use, woman's for beauty. Nay, more, Dress is of man's life a thing apart; 'tis woman's whole

What Jackson Ought to Do. "Well, by Jove, this is lucky!" cried a young man, as he heartly slapped the back of a gentleman whom he overtook in the street. The other turned—round—sharply—and—angrily showing the face of a complete stran-

"I thought it was my friend Jackson," said the young man, confused.
"All right," said the stranger; and he doubled the young man up with a tremendous poke in the waistcoat. What did you do that for

"I thought that was what Jackson ought to do," remarked the stranger, as he resumed his interrupted walk.
—Tudor Jenks, in Judge's Library.

Fire Alarm Calls.

Directions for turning in Alarm. Directions for turning in Alarm.

Break glass and turn the lever once around until it stops; you can only turn it one way. Donot turn in a second time, until lever has stopped

No. of
Box Where Located.
19—Michigan and Penjusular Avenues, near Olson's drug store.
28 Michigan Avenue and Spruce

28 Michigan Avenue and Spruce
23 Michigan Avenue and Norway
St. M. C. R. R. Depot.
37 Ottowa Street, at Hose House.
43 Ogemaw and Cedar streets, near

McKay House.

46—Spruce and Ionia streets, near Julius Nelson's house.

54 Michigan Ave. and Park street near Chris Hanson's house '55-Ogemaw and Maple streets near John Hanson's house, 64-Salling Hanson Co., Planing

Salling, Hanson Co., Band mill. 82 Kerry, Hanson, Flooring mill. 91- Railroad Réserve, south side on Electric light pole.

The whistle will blow off the namier after the general alarm has been

Open the Doon

Open the door, let in the air:
The winds are sweet, and the flowers
are fair.

On is then the door.

He may change our tears to diadems. Open the door!

Open the door of the sout; let.in.
Strong pure thoughts which shall banish
sin.
They shall grow and bloom with a grace
divine.
And—their fruit shall be sweeter than—that of the vine.
Open the door!

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ttance, Satisfaction Assured Write for Price List. References: First National Bank, Detroit Rank of Nova Scotla, Toronto, Ontario, Canada

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Scientific American.

USED RUSE TO SECURE MONKEY

Animal was Unacquainted with Qual les of Opera Glass.

MUNN & CO. 36 1 Broadway, New York Branch Office. 625 F St., Washington, D. C.

professor well known in the scientific world recently hit upon a novel method of capturing a pet monkey

He looked at the animal through a pair of opera glasses. end at him, and then, retired to a short distance; leaving the oper glasses on the ground. The initially monkey descended from the tree fulness—to fashion. A true woman is taking the opera glasses, gazed in Similar manner at his moster seemed to the deluded ape to be many yards distant.

The monkey, continuing to look through the same end of the opera-glasses, supposed his master, who was walking slowly toward his still a long way off, when the pro-fessor, reaching out, secured the chain and led the victim back to his cage.

As to Uses of Sea Can soap be done without? Accord-

ing to a member of the English public it is quite an unnecessary article, an man may be kept clean with plain water. Nations have risen to great ness without soap. Ancient Rome, our old familiar companion, Rome, knew nothing of soap until she came in contact with the Germans and the Gauls, who used it to brighten the color of the hair. Once or twice scap is mentioned in the Old Testament. but it doesn't mean the oily substance that it is today. Painful as it is for Americans who have lived in England to admit, it would be better for general comfort if more soap was used there. Thus, instead of advancing its cost, let it be lessened and so place the cleansing article within the reach of all. But the new soap combine doesn't view the situation light predisely. It takes the cake and the public pays.